

TOLL OF CALIFORNIA FLOOD GROWS DURING DAY

COUNTY MUST PAY FOR AID TO SICK ONES

Attorney General Upholds Supervisor D. H. Spencer

The city of Dixon is not responsible for the assistance extended to poor families by Supervisor D. H. Spencer, and the county is liable for such expenses, according to an opinion received from Attorney General Oscar Carlstrom by State's Attorney Mark C. Keller at noon today. Three questions were submitted by State's Attorney Keller at the request of the judiciary committee of the board of supervisors to whom the matter was referred when the county board at its regular March meeting last week refused to pay bills amounting to \$19.81 contracted for the relief of needy Dixonites.

The request for the opinion of the Attorney General was forwarded from the State's Attorney's office Friday afternoon and the reply was received today.

The first of the three questions asked the Attorney General's office was as follows:

What are paupers?

"In a case where a family including the wage earners have been quarantined, and are without money and property of any kind of description, are the members of such family paupers, within the meaning of the law during such quarantine? It is understood, of course, that such persons were not paupers at the time of quarantine, and are not supported by their relatives or at the county poorhouse. But during quarantine are absolutely dependent upon charity or support from the proper public authorities."

In response to this question the Attorney General's opinion says:

"As to your first question, I desire to call to your attention, the case of the Board of Supervisors of LaSalle County vs. Cornelius W. Reynolds, 49th Ill. 185, a personal of which would appear to indicate that poor persons, who are not paupers at the time, are not made paupers by the fact that they are smitten with a contagious disease."

The second question submitted by the judiciary committee followed:

Second Question.

"When the Board of Health of any incorporated city or village or the Board of Health of any township in Lee county, quarantines any family, person or persons, who becomes liable for their support, as well as the expenses of the quarantine, during the period for which such family is quarantined, when such persons or family are paupers?"

To this question the Attorney General replied:

"Your question may, I think, be answered by stating that persons who are paupers, and as such contract a contagious disease, should be taken care of in the same manner as the relatives; if partially by the relatives, and the remainder by the county, then such plan should be continued; if by the town, then by the town."

"In other words, I find no provision of the law which would require any other agencies to take care of a pauper who is smitten with a contagious disease than the agency which was taking care of him as a pauper before he was smitten."

The third question submitted to the Attorney General follows:

To this he replied:

Reply to Third.

"As to your third question, I wish to state that, assuming that the persons there mentioned are not paupers, it is my opinion that Section 24 of the Pauper Act would apply. This section is in part in the following language:

"When any non-resident, or any person not coming within the definition of a pauper, of any county or town shall fall sick or die, not having money or property to pay his board, nursing and medical aid, the overseer or overseers of the poor of the town or the precinct in which he may be shall give, or cause to be given to him such assistance as they may deem necessary and proper; and the county shall pay the reasonable expense thereof, which expenses of board, nursing, medical aid and burial expenses, may be recovered from the relatives of the said pauper, or from the county of which he is a resident, in an appropriate action."

The opinion of the Attorney General substantiates in every way the action taken by Supervisor D. H. Spencer in providing aid to families whose earning power was cut off by

COMMISSIONER LOFTUS THREW "BOMB" INTO MEETING BOARD OF IMPROVEMENTS LAST EVE.

Charges Cement Assn. Has Been Too Active in Dixon

Intimating that unjust means had been employed in Dixon for the purpose of binding the city to the use of cement for paving purposes, Commissioner John H. Loftus of the department of streets, at last night's meeting of the city council, exploded a surprise bomb at the meeting of the board of local improvements. A number of projects had come before the board, which is composed of Mayor Frank D. Palmer and Commissioners George Campbell and John Loftus, when the clerk presented a petition bearing the signatures of many prominent north side property owners residing on East Boyd and East Everett streets, asking the board of local improvements to abandon any improvement on those streets for the present time.

After City Clerk Blake Grover had read the list of names protesting against the proposed improvement, Commissioner Loftus demanded:

"Who filed that petition?" he inquired of the mayor who is also president of the local improvement board.

"I do not know," the mayor replied.

Contradicted Mayor.

"Well, I think that you do, and I refuse to take any action on this petition until the party who filed it is known."

"When I was elected to this office, I was elected to serve the citizens and taxpayers of Dixon and not to serve the cement association."

"I do not know who circulated this petition," Mayor Palmer informed the commissioner to which the latter replied pointedly:

"Yes you do."

Commissioner Loftus then stated that a representative of the cement association was in Dixon two weeks ago in the interests of paving the north side streets in question with cement. He stated that the citizens had petitioned for the tarvia type of paving some time ago, and that later another petition was circulated asking for cement, the signatures of some property owners appearing on both petitions. When the majority favored the former type, he charged, a representative of the cement association came to Dixon in the interest of that type of construction, and he insisted that the third petition protesting against any improvement resulted. Commissioner Loftus likewise charged that the third petition bore names which appeared on both the others, and that it was the work of a paid circulator.

The commissioner of streets again hurled the question at Mayor Palmer: "Who circulated this petition?"

Who brought the reply:

"I do not know," from the mayor.

Loftus Insistent.

"Well, I am going to find out. I do not believe in the cement association running Dixon in this manner, and until I do find out more about this petition, I am in favor of tabling it for further action."

R. A. Rodesch, who appeared before the council on several previous occasions in connection with local improvements that he could "raise the roof of the city hall" with things which he had heard, to which the Mayor replied that he too might create a furore by repeating hearsay gossip, but that he did not consider such rumors as being worthy of repetition.

Several property owners interested in other improvements planned for the coming season were present and listened to the controversy, which marked the first clash between members of the present council.

To Cut Interest.

Mayor Palmer announced at the hearing on public improvements last evening that the city in the future would dispose of its local improvement bonds at five instead of six per cent, resulting in a saving of one per cent to property owners affected.

There were no objections voiced toward the extension of a sewer on West Boyd street west of Hennepin avenue and the board of local improvements adopted a resolution adhering to the scheme.

A number of objections were voiced against the improving of about five blocks lying south and east of Crawford avenue and Seventh street by construction of cement paving, but the majority of the property owners present favored the improvement and the board adopted a resolution adhering to the scheme.

The proposed extension of the sanitary sewer system on Oak Court as provided under local improvement ordinance No. 242, was introduced before the board of local improvements, but the public consideration was continued until next Tuesday evening at 8:15 in order that an additional 50 feet, which has been requested, might be provided for.

RICKARD GETS MANDELL

New York, Mar. 14—(AP)—Eddie Kane, manager of Sammy Mandell, lightweight champion, will sign for a title match with Jimmy McLarnin, Pacific coast sensation late this afternoon. Tex Rickard announced today.

BIRGER TO TAKE APPEAL TO SMALL FOR COMMUTATION

Petitions to be Circulated by Friends of the Gangster

Benton, Ill., March 14—(AP)—Charles Birger, former gang leader, in jail here under sentence of death for the murder of Mayor Joe Adams of West City, is making one last appeal in an effort to save himself from the gallows.

This appeal is not to a court but to the people of Franklin county and southern Illinois, in the form of a petition to Gov. Len Small and the Board of Pardons at Springfield. His petition is in the hands of relatives and friends, ready for circulation in event a rehearing is denied by the state Supreme Court.

"I am not asking for sympathy for myself," Birger said today, "but I am asking it for my babies and for my sister who will be the ones who will suffer most if I go down. They

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LONE EAGLE WAS FORCED DOWN BY FOGS IN PENNA.

Resumed Flight to Unknown Destination This Morning

Washington, March 14—(AP)—Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh arrived in Washington at 11:50 a. m., today, having flown from Coatesville, Pa. His arrival also was announced by the War department but nothing was known there of the purpose of the visit.

Coatesville, Pa., March 14—(AP)—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, who was forced down on a farm near here yesterday by fog, hopped off for an unannounced destination at 10:30 A. M. today.

Forced down on the secluded farm of Emmur Way, four miles from here, late yesterday in his mystery flight with Henry Breckinridge, his counsel, the Flying Colonel tried hard to keep his identity secret. But his efforts were successful only for as long as it took him to walk from his airplane to the farmhouse.

"Why, you're Colonel Lindbergh," Mrs. Way gasped as she opened the door in response to his knock. A broad smile was the only confirmation.

The Colonel and Mr. Breckinridge tarried at the Way homestead only a few minutes, walking across the fields to the farm of Charles Elkington, where they spent the night. There they made themselves known, but pledged everyone to secrecy.

Meanwhile Mrs. Way had telephoned The Associated Press that the famous flier had surrendered to the Pennsylvania fogs and a few minutes later his identification was verified.

Nothing however, could be learned of Col. Lindbergh's plans. Neither he nor Mr. Breckinridge would reveal their destination.

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FAMILIES ANXIOUS

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One home was the palatial residence of a nobleman—Lord Incheague—the other was the humble suburban abode of a commoner at Purley—Captain Walter Hinchliffe, one of Britain's premier airmen.

All night Lord Incheague's household remained up waiting for some message from the Atlantic, for while they had no definite information that the Honorable Elsie Mackay, the daughter of the house, was aboard the plane, they were convinced that she was essaying this feat, which has cost so many lives, in the hope of being the first woman to fly the Atlantic.

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HINCHLIFFE PLANE LONG LONG OVERDUE

No Word From Flier and Woman Passenger Received

BULLETIN

St. Johns, N. F., March 14—(AP)—Unconfirmed reports were received today that several residents of Briggs had heard the drone of an airplane between 6 and 7 o'clock this morning.

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St. John's Newfoundland, March 14—(AP)—At 10:30 this morning, Eastern standard time, there was no word here from the Hinchliffe plane. The weather was clear and fairly warm, with a northwest wind, which was increasing slightly.

New York, March 14—(AP)—Public concern manifested itself today as the hours passed without word from the monoplane Endeavour, which took the air in England yesterday to try the uncrossed western air passage of the Atlantic, but aviators still believed at noon that there was plenty of hope.

Although freely acknowledging that the absence of any report of the plane was disheartening, they computed that weather conditions might have so slowed down progress that the plane would not reach land until early afternoon, and that after sighting and it would be possible for the plane to continue without being sighted if it were flying anywhere near its ceiling of 14,000 feet.

The "Endeavour," piloted by Capt. Walter Hinchliffe and believed to have on board the Hon. Elsie Mackay, sponsor of the flight, had enough fuel to last until about 7 o'clock tonight.

UNREPORTED THIS MORN

New York, March 14—(AP)—Captain Walter Hinchliffe's plane "Endeavour," in which he left Cranwell, England, yesterday morning presumably as a passenger, for America, was unreported this forenoon, although if all had gone well, he should have been off the Nova Scotia coast.

Thirty hours after the British war ace had left English shores, no ship beyond European waters had reported sighting him and the big wireless stations along the coast were likewise silent. The last news of the plane reported it 170 miles off the Irish coast yesterday.

His minimum average speed, unless great storms were encountered, was estimated at about 80 miles an hour. The "Endeavour," provided it followed the great circle course, would have covered 2400 miles about 9:45 A. M. and should have been in the vicinity of Nova Scotia.

The plane, however, was capable of greater speed under favorable conditions.

Not Seen By Liner

The commander of the Hamburg-American liner Deutschland reported in a wireless message to The Associated Press at 7 A. M. Eastern time today, that he had seen no sign of the plane. The vessel is due in New York about Monday and today in mid-Atlantic found visibility good, with a light wind from the north-northwest.

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THE WRECKED DAM



This photograph, transmitted over telephoto wires for The Evening Telegraph by NEA Service, shows the wreckage of the St. Francis dam, 45 miles north of Los Angeles, just after the gigantic reservoir had spent its deadly force on the valley below. The dam was a massive concrete structure, 185 feet high, built across San Francisco canyon. Under normal conditions it backed up a lake of water containing more than twelve billion gallons of water. A cloudburst in the mountains sent such a torrent against the dam that it collapsed, almost without warning. The picture shows the center section still standing, but both ends of the dam, which was 1250 feet long, were washed away.

YOUTH FATALLY INJURED AS HE DITCHED AUTO

Was on Way Home from Rockford Theater Early Tuesday

Rockford—En route home after attending a theater in Rockford, John Dooley, 20-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Dooley, of Delavan, was fatally injured at 2 o'clock Tuesday morning when he ditched his automobile to avoid what appeared to him to be an attempted holdup.

Young Dooley was speeding along State Route No. 14, east of Darien when he encountered a furniture truck stalled part way across the concrete highway.

He stepped on the accelerator and attempted to swing out around the truck, but his machine turned turtle as it careened over into the ditch and Dooley lost control of it.

The two drivers of the truck extricated the young man from the wreckage of his car and hurried him in a passing machine to Beloit, where he died in a hospital at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday morning.

Thought Stalled Truck "Trap"

Dooley was still conscious when he reached the hospital and it was not until several hours later that his injuries were found to be serious. He explained that he thought the stalled truck was a trap set by highwaymen to halt and rob him.

The young man was graduated from Delavan high school two years ago and since that time has been employed in the knitting mills there. His parents and three sisters survive him.

Former Dixon Man Died in Iowa Tues.

Thomas and Miss Myra Young received a telegram last evening announcing the death of their brother, Oscar Young, formerly of this city, at his home in Eagle Grove, Ia. Tuesday afternoon. Funeral services will be held in Eagle Grove Friday afternoon, and Thomas and Miss Young will leave tomorrow for that city to attend the last rites.

The deceased, who left Dixon about fifty years ago, was 74 years of age, and during his residence in this city was interested with his brother in the coal business. He is survived by his widow and one daughter.

Man Behind Coup

New York, March 14—(AP)—A man who twenty years ago was selling tickets at a Broadway theatrical ticket agency, today was credited with putting over one of the most sensational coups in Wall Street history.

He is Michael J. Meelan, who almost singlehandedly engineered the sensational rise in Radio common which carried the stock up 50 points in four trading days, brought him a fortune of millions of dollars and a severe case of nerves.

Just how much he has made in the past four days, which have seen the exchange record for sales volume twice broken, he probably does not know himself and estimates in the street run from \$5,000,000 to \$15,000,000.

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WALTER PAGE, FORMER DIXON MAN, NEW SUPERINTENDENT OF MANUFACTURING FOR BORDEN CO

Terse Items of News Gathered in Dixon During Day

Y. M. C. A. BAND MEETS

The Y. M. C. A. boys band will meet at the association building this evening for practice.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

W. J. Hintz who has been a patient at the Dixon public hospital, was able to return to his home today, much improved in health.

CHIMNEY FIRE TUESDAY

The fire department was summoned to the home of Mrs. Anna Doyle, 1933 Highland avenue, at 3:30 yesterday afternoon, where a chimney fire was extinguished without damage to the property.

SENT TO COUNTY JAIL

Elsie Maden was arrested last night on a charge of being intoxicated and disorderly. This morning he was unable to pay a fine of \$10 and costs assessed by Police Magistrate A. E. Simonson and was sent to the county jail.

HAD OPERATION HERE

Paul Loos of Sterling, who submitted to an operation at the Dixon public hospital Monday afternoon for the removal of goitre, is reported to be convalescing as well as can be expected, although he is not yet able to receive visitors.

Built Libby Plants.

In 1866 he transferred to Libby, Minn., and Libby of Chicago, built their first plant at Morrison in that and the following years. From this one plant Libby's milk business grew under his direction until the company had fifteen plants.

In 1921 the Carnation Milk Products Company sought and obtained his services, and for six years he had charge of that company's construction, purchasing and operation program, his accomplishments with the Carnation company being well known to the condensed, evaporated and powdered milk industry.

His return to the Borden Company in his fine new position brings rejoicing among his many friends, who will extend congratulations.

His mother makes her home with Mr. and Mrs. Page and will move to New York with them.

M. J. Callahan was Called Tuesday P. M.

Michael J. Callahan, aged 59, prominent in Dixon business life for a period of many years, passed away at 4 o'clock at his home, 303 East Third street, yesterday afternoon after a brief illness. He was born in Cortland, Ill., December 11, 1868 but had spent practically all of his life time in Dixon with the exception of four years spent in Aurora.

He is survived by his widow; one son, Eugene of this city; one daughter, Mrs. Edward Etnyre of Dallas, Texas; one brother, Anthony of Aurora, two sisters, Mrs. Hendricks and Mrs. Shober, both of Chicago. Funeral services will be conducted Friday morning with a brief service from the home at 9 o'clock and at St. Patrick's Catholic church at 9:30. Interment will be in Oakwood.

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FROM 300 TO 600 MISSING; FEARED LOST

Over 270 Bodies Had Been Recovered Early Today

Los Angeles, March 14—(AP)—A summary of the situation in the area stricken as the result of the St. Francis dam break follows:

Available figures this morning showed 274 bodies recovered and 300 to 600 persons still missing and believed to have perished.

Property damage estimated at from \$10,000,000 to \$30,000,000.

The affected area is 65 miles long, beginning with the floor of San Francisco Canyon, which is half a mile wide at the dam site, and extending into a gradually widening valley about twenty miles before reaching the old bed of the Santa Clara river and running into the Pacific.

Cause is Uncertain.

Some city officials declared a preliminary examination indicated the break had been caused as the result of an earth movement or some external force. Passing motorists and valley residents declared sleeping around the buttress might have been the cause.

The few persons who escaped after being engulfed in the racing waters were for the most part uninjured. There was little demand for relief work and medical supplies. It was said the aid of the state would not be needed.

Orange growers of the stricken district said they were threatened with enormous losses because of disruption of communication at the moment when the crop was ready for shipping.

Search for Bodies

A gigantic rescue organization was made up of sheriffs, policemen, American Legion members and valley residents to search through the thousands of tons of silt for bodies of the victims.

Pack trains were formed to move bodies out of the quagmire where automobiles and other methods of transportation failed.

The canyon bottom and valley were swept clear of all signs of civilization for several miles. In the silt deposit, which in some cases was thirty feet deep remained the uncounted bodies of the victims, houses, livestock and other ruins.

HORROR IS GROWING

Newhall, Cal., Mar. 14—(AP)—The horror of the St. Francis dam disaster reached new depths today as rescue workers counted 274 bodies lying in a half dozen improvised morgues and resumed their search through miles of saffron quagmire from 300 to 600 of the residents of the little valley who were believed to have perished in the flood.

Because of mud and slime stretched for 65 miles through the mountain valleys, in some places thirty feet deep, there was no means of determining how many victims remained in the muddy graveyard.

Sheriff Traeger of Los Angeles county, who announced the number of known and recovered dead early this morning after a checkup, refused to estimate the number of missing. The estimates which ranged from 300 to 600, made during the night of almost futile attempts to ascertain the extent of death and havoc, were allowed to stand as the second day of rescue work began.

Many New Victims

Attempts to determine from rural and telephone lists the number of possible victims still unaccounted for, were shown to be useless when many bodies of victims were brought in whose names did not appear on these lists.

Left behind by the gouting wall of water, from half a mile to a mile wide, sweeping 65 miles to the sea, were losses estimated at from \$10,000,000 to \$30,000,000. The city of Los Angeles, the heaviest individual sufferer, put its gross in the totally destroyed dam and the power house below it, at \$3,000,000.

The waters flattened scores of homes, ranches, railroad lines and bridges, tore out wire systems, light and power wires, gas mains, highways and bridges,



PAGE for WOMEN



SOCIETY News

Calendar of Coming Events

Wednesday.
Palmyra Mutual Aid Society—Mrs. James Swartz, 710 East Chamberlain St.
L. O. O. M.—Moose Hall.
Aid Society Christian Church—At church.
Ideal Club—Mrs. Lloyd Lewis, 216 Boyd St.
Prairieville Social Circle—Mrs. Oliver Hains.
South Side Grade Parent-Teacher Meeting—South Side High School.
Thursday.
City Altz Club—Mrs. Charles Livan, Lincoln Way.
Women of Mooseheart Legion—Moose Hall.
W. M. S. Bethel U. E. Church—Mrs. J. U. Weyant, 615 E. Morgan street.
Uranus Club—Rosbrook hall.
St. James Missionary Society—Mrs. John Missman, 604 Reoria avenue.
Methodist Home Missionary Society—Mrs. Kirby Reed, 418 E. Fellows street.
P. N. G. Club—J. O. O. F. hall.
St. Agnes Guild—Misses Rogers, 417 Brinton Ave.
Dorcas Society—Congregational church.
Triangle Club—Miss Dorothy Prescott, 303 N. Galena avenue.
Friday.
Elks Children's Party—Elks Club.
Benson Club—K. C. Home.
W. C. T. U.—Mrs. Lester Street, 520 No. Jefferson avenue.

OLD MASTERS

MINIATURE.
Because the little gentleman made nautical instruments
And lived in a street which ran down to the sea,
The neighbors called him "Salt Charlie."
I wonder what they would have said if they had known
That he stole out every evening to a sweet-shop
And bought sticks of red-and-white sugar candy.
It was a pleasant thing to see him, standing meekly before the custom-house,
Sucking a sugar-stick.
And gazing at the dead funnels of anchored steamers
Against a star-sprung sky.
I thought of him in an oval gilt frame
Against sprigged wall-paper.
Done in Fra Angelico pinks and blues
Of a clear and sprightly elegance.
Wherefore, being convinced of his value as ornament,
I have set him on paper for the delectation
Of sundry scattered persons
Who consider such things important.
—Amy Lowell in "Ballads for Sale."

Practical Club in Delightful Meeting

The Practical Club held their meeting at the home of Mrs. G. P. Powell on Tuesday afternoon. The paper of the afternoon on Platforms of our Political Parties was given by Mrs. Charles Keyes. The subject was extremely interesting, as well as instructive, and was well presented. Mrs. John Byers had arranged a clever discussion of various topics of the day.
The hostess' son Robert Powell played several enjoyable piano numbers.
At the close of the program delicious refreshments were served.

DORCAS SOCIETY TO MEET THURSDAY

The Dorcas Society of the Congregational church will meet in the church parlors Thursday afternoon at 2:30. There will be special entertainment and refreshments will be served by the ladies.

CHOIR TO MEET THURSDAY EVENING

The choir of the Methodist church will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 at the church.
Only Real Test for BAKING POWDER is in the BAKING For Best Results Use KC BAKING POWDER DOUBLE ACTION Same Price FOR OVER 35 YEARS 25 ounces for 25¢ WHY PAY WAR PRICES? Our Government Used Millions of Pounds

MENU for the FAMILY

BY SISTER MARY
BREAKFAST.—Halves of grape fruit, cereal, cream, ham omelet, crisp toast, milk, coffee.
LUNCHEON.—Creamed oysters on toast, jellied fruit salad, brown bread, jelly cake, milk, tea.
DINNER.—Stewed chicken, dumplings, creamed cauliflower, cress and orange salad, maple mousse, crisp cookies, milk, coffee.

Tiny cookies about an inch and one-half in diameter are attractive to serve with a frozen dessert for dinner or luncheon.

Jelly Cake.
One cup sugar, 1-2 cup butter, 1-2 cup sour milk, 1 cup jelly, 4 eggs, 1 teaspoon soda, 1-3-4 cups flour, few grains salt.

Cream butter and gradually beat in sugar. Add jelly and sift in a few tablespoons flour. Save white of one egg for icing and beat remaining eggs until light. Add to first mixture. Beat well and add about half of the flour. Mix thoroughly and add milk with soda dissolved in it. Beat hard and add remaining flour and salt. Pour into an oiled and floured square pan and bake thirty minutes in a moderate oven. Cover with icing made with white of egg and one cup granulated sugar and one-half cup water cooked over hot water for seven minutes, beating constantly. Flavor lightly with vanilla.

W. M. S. Grace Church Met on Tuesday

The Women's Missionary Society of Grace Evangelical church met at the church Tuesday afternoon. The meeting opened by singing "Work for the Night is Coming." Devotions were in charge of Mrs. Phil Miller and Mrs. Ray Strock. Mrs. I. S. Graybill and Mrs. Sarah Reis then favored with a vocal duet. The leaflet was read by Mrs. Will Richardson. Mrs. Fred Kroehler and Miss Gladys Stroup played a piano duet which was enjoyed by all. The lesson study was given by Mrs. Ed Graves and Mrs. Charles Garrison read a selection. Little Vivian Dugan gave a pretty song. The meeting closed with all singing "When Love Shines In." A business session followed after which all were invited to the basement where tempting refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Charles Garrison and Mrs. Ed Graves.

Helen Chamberlain Weds Thomas Peters

The marriage of Miss Helen Chamberlain of Sterling and Thomas Peters, formerly of Dixon, took place Monday morning in Ottawa, Justus of the Peace Koenig performing the ceremony at 9 o'clock.
Mr. and Mrs. Peters returned to Sterling where they will reside. They are proprietors of a beauty and barber shop at 1201 East Fourth street.

DR. AND MRS. MOSS ENTERTAINED AT DINNER

Dr. and Mrs. Z. W. Moss entertained at dinner last evening for Mr. and Mrs. Jack Forrest of Minneapolis.

MEET THIS EVENING AT CHURCH FOR PRACTICE

All those taking part in the Christian Endeavor play will meet this evening at the Christian church for practice.

ENTERTAINS WITH LUNCHEON TODAY FOR MRS. FORREST

Mrs. Z. W. Moss entertained with a luncheon today for Mrs. Jack Forrest of Minneapolis who is visiting Dixon friends.



Served in more homes than any other in this vast Lake Michigan area
Thomas J. Webb COFFEE
THOMAS J. WEBB TEA — The Same Standard of Quality as the Coffee

The WOMAN'S DAY by ALLENE SUMNER

Lady lecturers from across the foam continue to tell our women what ails them most. Mrs. Bertrand Russell is the current setting-things-righter. She deplores our national female laziness. She calls it "a queen complex." Says that woman's expectation of being supported when she does nothing more in return than keep a tiny house or flat and raise a child or two goes back to her childhood reading of fairy tales, all written on the assumption that a lady by her mere presence in this world so pays for everything that she needs never do more than sit on a cushion and sew a fine seam.

MORE WHYS
This is only one answer why our women with their "queen complex," living in "their little brick boxes in the suburbs," and "fussing around their miserable little dollies," think that they have a real job on their hands, and do not feel especially apologetic for living. Another reason is that effective birth control information is much more easily obtained by English women, and their "little brick boxes in the suburbs" are not filled to bursting with more children than they can care for.

A DIRTY JOB
I have never been convinced that the average wife and mother does not work harder than the average woman employed outside the home. I have known hordes of business girls to confess that they never knew what real work was until they married—even in this day of electric washing machines, vacuum cleaners, bathrooms and electric lights.

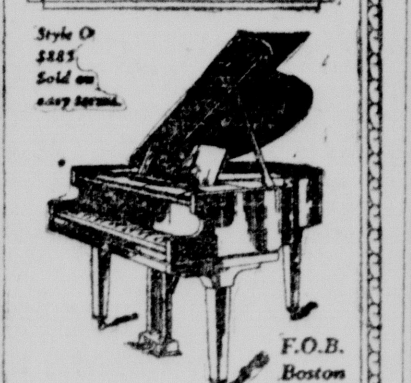
FUNNY "MODERN WOMEN"
One amusing reaction received by the very modern themes of our visiting lecturers is even the modern woman's assumption that this reform and that reform won't work "because husbands won't stand for it." Saying so, they dismiss the matter altogether as a problem too big for life. They assume that the male nature must not, will not, and does not change. The most modern women grant their men folk's prejudices and stupidity and selfish blind conduct based on no reason, though they themselves turn their backs on tradition and prejudices.

"HE" WOULDN'T LIKE IT
"I need a job and I know I ought to be working for my own good," many a wife says. "But my husband wouldn't like it. It would make him ashamed to have people think he couldn't support his wife." So, though knowing that her conduct is based on a false premise, on a tradition and the pettiness and stupidity of her husband, the wife proceeds to live out her husband's unintelligent philosophy, never expecting him to change. Oh well, blessed are the peace-makers, I suppose. Only until women refuse to make a real argument of blind male prejudices, they certainly should not expect to be called "modern."

BENSON CLUB TO MEET FRIDAY EVENING

The Benson club will meet Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the K. C. club home.

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Kingdom-Mt. Union Aid Society Meeting

The Kingdom-Mt. Union Aid society met on Thursday in an all-day meeting with Mrs. Will Floto at her delightful home in the Kingdom.

A delicious dinner was served at noon to the members and guests present.

The business meeting was opened in the afternoon by the vice-president, Mrs. John Stanley.

There was no special business, so Mrs. Claude Guynn, chairman of the program committee, was given charge.

The much enjoyed program was as follows:

Piano Solo—Miss Ora Floto. She responded to an encore.

Reading—Mrs. Margaret Floto. Reading—Mrs. Leland Brink.

Reading—Ruth Acker. Reading—Mrs. Arthur Hoban.

Reading—Mrs. Edward Johnson. Musical Romance—Mrs. Harvey Stevens and Mrs. Lester Ommen.

A guessing contest was enjoyed. Mrs. Will Floto winning the head prize and Mrs. Ivan Floto the consolation prize.

The meeting was then closed by all joining in the singing of a hymn and repeating the Lord's Prayer.

The guests departed after a most enjoyable day spent with Mrs. Will Floto at her home to meet again in two weeks. The program committee to serve at the next meeting will be composed of Mrs. Harvey Stevens, chairman; Mrs. John Stanley and Mrs. Leland Brink.

Alcoholism As Cause of Death in Illinois

Evansville, Ill., March 14.—(AP)—History of alcoholism as a cause of death in Illinois will be used by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union in a national campaign, beginning March 20, to induce public officials to treat alcoholism as a preventable means of death. It was announced by officials of the union here today.

In announcing the campaign, which will be conducted in every state, the W. C. T. U. officials quoted statistics from the U. S. bureau of census as follows:

"Illinois has an annual average alcohol death rate of 4.7 per hundred thousand. The average national death rate is 3.9 per hundred thousand; Illinois suffers because of Chicago. Outside of Cook county Illinois' average death rate is lower than the national average."

"Illinois was not included in the national registration area in 1916, so no contrast can be made; but alcoholism almost disappeared in Illinois in 1920, the first year of national prohibition. It went down to 0.7 per hundred thousand of population, one of the lowest in America. It went to 4.7 in 1922, the latest year for which national census figures are available, suffering because of Chicago."

"Chicago offers a good example of what strict attention to sanitary laws can do; and also what ridicule of the prohibition law can do. The first year of prohibition, 1920, almost wiped out alcoholism as a cause of death in Chicago. That year Chicago

BRIDGE ME ANOTHER

BY W. W. WENTWORTH

(Abbreviations: A—ace; K—king; Q—queen; J—jack; X—any card lower than 10.)

1. When do you take out partner's no-trump with minor suit strength?

2. Should you be discouraged if you make errors?

3. When you hold A X X X X, how many outside quick tricks are necessary to bid it initially?

The Answers
1. When holding sufficient strength to bid three in minor suit and other cards worthless.

2. Not if you profit by them.

3. One.
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had only 46 deaths from alcoholism, its alcohol death rate falling to 1.7.

"The same year it had a scarlet fever rate of 7.0 and a diphtheria death rate of 23.1."

"Authorities got busy to diminish the causes of scarlet fever and diphtheria. If the same seriousness had been given to diminishing alcoholism there would be a different story to tell."

Scarlet fever and diphtheria have been cut to 2.5 and 7.5; while Chicago's alcoholism rose to 8; and in 1927 it leaped to more than 9.0 with Cook county politicians vying with one another in their wetness. It is high time the politicians took their hands off prohibition and that a campaign of public education be instituted.

"The great wet cities have the highest toll of alcoholic death. The vociferous disregard of prohibition puts a heavy burden on their civic conscience, and an analysis of the situation tears away the foundation for the wet claim that alcoholism is increased by prohibition. Alcoholism is disappearing where prohibition is observed and enforced. Fortunately in the great wet cities, the health department have splendid organizations with fine facilities for preventive educational work. Stronger enforcement of state laws would help greatly, just as enforcement of any sanitary law protects health. However, this particular problem is one of education, the increasing of knowledge as to the health dangers in the use of any alcoholic liquor."

Mrs. Hinds Happily Surprised Last Eve.

Mrs. S. M. Hinds, 321 Monroe avenue, was agreeably surprised last evening at her home when twenty of her friends called to assist her in celebrating her birthday. The evening was pleasantly spent in playing five hundred and bunco and in music. At midnight a tempting luncheon was served and it was late ere the company dispersed after a delightful evening, wishing the hostess many returns of the happy day.

MISS PRESCOTT TO ENTERTAIN TRIANGLE CLUB

Miss Dorothy Prescott will entertain the Triangle club at her home.

Missionary Circle had Interesting Meeting

The Young Peoples Missionary Circle of the Grace Evangelical church held its March meeting at the church on Monday evening. Following the picnic supper, Wayne Hartman took charge of the meeting. After singing a number of songs, Helen Bore read the Scripture lesson and Mrs. Brandt offered prayer. Special numbers consisting of a vocal selection by Miss Helen Griese of Ashton, and musical numbers by the Crews Brothers Trio, accompanied by Mrs. Crews were enjoyed by all.

Reuben Schafer gave a review of the lesson. The business session was presided over by Miss Helen Bore the Vice President. The self-denial offering was received and arrangements for a special program were considered.

Mrs. Graham's 82nd Birthday Celebrated

Mrs. Patrick Graham celebrated her 82nd birthday at her home Saturday. Although an invalid, she greatly enjoyed the day as her neighbors and friends did everything possible to make it one long to be remembered.

Desire receiving a number of blooming plants, cards and other gifts, she was presented with three beautiful birthday cakes. Friends extend best wishes to Mrs. Graham for happy returns of the day and that her health be greatly improved.

TESTS SHOW WOMEN SMART, MEN DOGGED

Missoula, Mont.—(AP)—Men are not as smart as women, but they are more persevering, according to psychology tests at Montana university.

In grade points, women were shown to be 20 per cent better than men, but men buckled down to a hard course and overcome failure more easily.

The tests were made by Prof. H. O. Smith, chairman of the psychology department of the institution, and the analysis will be used by the university in trying to affect a solution of its scholarship problems.

WHITE ENSEMBLE WORN BY PALM BEACH VISITOR

Palm Beach, Fla.—(AP)—A new ensemble creation for the spring and summer, worn by Mrs. George D. Simon, of New York, is attracting attention among the winter residents here.

In two pieces, the costume is of white silk of heavy but extremely soft weave. A new idea in the form of blue, green and red silk embroidery, one row of which is carried across the back of the blouse, only two rows showing in front, is effective. A white coat with fur collar and white hat, gloves and shoes complete the costume.

USES TECHNICAL SKILL IN PUBLIC OFFICE

West Palm Beach, Fla.—(AP)—Agnes Ballard, the first woman ar-

chitect to be registered by the state board and the first woman county official in Florida, ends her term as county superintendent of public instruction with a rare combination of achievement. During her administration, when she was not busy with the executive details of the office, she devoted her architectural talents to the designing of small schoolhouses.

Sixteenth Birthday Proved a Happy One

A surprise party was held last evening for Miss Frances Doyle at her home honoring her sixteenth birthday. If proved a genuine surprise and an altogether delightful evening. There were guests for three tables of bunco. Miss Margaret Nagle received the favor for high score; and Miss Frances Bradley received the consolation favor. In the cut prizes Miss Rosanna Curran received a favor, as did Miss Mary Bales and Miss Frances Bradley again received a favor. Spring flowers formed attractive decorations with the addition of the dainty shamrock. A delicious birthday luncheon was served and a delightful evening completed, the guests on departing wishing Miss Doyle many happy anniversaries, and leaving her a number of pretty gifts, also.

W. C. T. U. TO MEET FRIDAY AFTERNOON

The members of the W. C. T. U. will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. Lester Street, 520 N. Jefferson avenue. The program for the afternoon will be in charge of the literature department and all members and all women interested in this work are invited to attend.

PARTY IS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE FROM 13 YEARS UP

The children's party at the local lodge of Elks Friday evening is for juniors from 13 years up, and it is hoped that all young people of Elk families will attend and enjoy the happy evening in store for them.

The party for children from 6 years up, is to be given later.

HAS JOINED WIFE IN DIXON VISIT

William Love of Villa Park has joined his wife and children in a visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Anna Doyle of Highland avenue.

ENTERTAINED AT DINNER MONDAY EVENING

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Harvey entertained most delightfully at a dinner Monday evening at their beautiful suburban home in Reynolds Woods.

WERE DINNER GUESTS AT ADAMS HOME

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Adams and family entertained Sunday, Mrs. E. H. Thomas and daughter Jacqueline and Marilyn of Chicago.

ENTERTAINED AT DINNER LAST EVENING

Mrs. Frank Rosbrook entertained a few friends at dinner last evening.

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Life's Niceties HINTS ON ETIQUET

1. What is a service or place plate?
2. What is its function?
3. What is it usually like?

The Answers
1. It is the plate that is placed at each cover in advance of service, upon which other plates are set until the fish course.

2. It is purely decorative.

3. It should be lovely as possible, does not need to match the dinner service and is usually one or two inches larger in diameter than dinner plates.

Prairieville Parent-Teacher Meet Enjoyed

The regular monthly meeting of the Prairieville Association was held at the school house Thursday evening, and because of the rain there were only forty-seven present.

A picnic supper at 7 o'clock was enjoyed by all. After supper the regular business meeting was held and the following program given:

Secretary-Treasurer Report—Mrs. Edna N. Pine.

Reading—Miss Mildred Reed. (She responded to an encore.)

Reading—Mrs. Charles Reed, followed by an encore.

Piano Solo—Mrs. Edna N. Pine. This was also encored.

Mrs. Charles Reed, Mrs. Charles Manon, and Mrs. Seidel were appointed as a nominating committee, for an election of officers will be held at the next meeting.

The refreshments committee for the next meeting will consist of Mrs. Charles Reed, Mrs. LeRoy Powers and Mrs. Edith Myers.

The pleasant meeting closed by all singing "America." The next meeting is to be held April 5.

MRS. FLORENCE MCINTYRE IS ILL

Mrs. Florence McIntyre of the Dixon Beauty Shop is quite ill.

PROGRESSIVE REPUBLICAN MEETING

At Court House Friday evening, March 6th, at 7:30. Everybody invited to hear the issues of the day discussed. Some good speakers will talk.

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LOWDEN IS NOT MIXING.

Don't let the big Chicago interests make you think that Frank O. Lowden is mixing in the state political fight against Governor Small. For it isn't so.

The former governor of Illinois has promised not to get involved in the contest for governor. He has had a good deal of assistance from Governor Small in the slate of national delegates from many sections of Illinois. Governor Small has helped to soften feelings against Lowden in Chicago. The Ogle county squire knows that and is grateful. In the Twelfth congressional district the men who are for Governor Small are also, the large majority of them, for Frank O. Lowden for president of the United States.

It is not to be doubted that the metropolitan press which happens to be bitter towards the governor will try to make it out that Senator Deneen and Frank O. Lowden are fighting Governor Small throughout the state. Don't let such newspaper stories fool you. They are intended merely to stir up trouble in the peace program which is working out amazingly well down-state and particularly in northern Illinois.

They have been threatening Lieut. Governor Fred E. Sterling with opposition in the person of former lieutenant governor, John Oglesby, unless the Rockford man joins the chorus of hate now in full cry against Governor Small. Col. Sterling is too fair a man, and too knowing of the political situation to be caught by anything like that. Moreover, Oglesby has told Mr. Sterling's friends that he will under no circumstances run against the Rockford man.

The hymn of hate never won a war.—Rockford Republic.

WHAT KINGS COST.

Ever since Germany has been a republic the disgruntled monarchists have been yipping all over the place that taxpayers should take notice that a so-called republic costs more than a real monarchy.

The assertion has been made so often that most Germans believed it. It remained for Professor Grebe to delve into the figures of the present and the past and show that this claim of the Junkers, like so many others, was just simple, hundred per cent lie.

He finds that the cost of the various republican ministries, the Reichstag and other governmental machinery, is not to exceed 20,000,000 marks per year. On the other hand, the Hohenzollerns cost Prussia 22,000,000 marks; Bavaria paid its Wittelsbergs over four millions; Wurtemberg paid its royal house over 2,500,000; Baden paid out 1,812,000; Hesse disbursed 1,265,000.

In other words, kings, princes and grand dukes, with all their parasites and hangers-on, cost the German people just double what the officials of the republic do.

MRS. BLAIR'S REMARK.

Amid all the welter of pre-convention statements, claims, appeals and pronouncements, a little remark by Mrs. Emily Newell Blair, vice chairman of the Democratic National Committee, comes as a refreshing note.

Mrs. Blair proposes that party platforms be abolished. They are, she explains, just a bore.

Probably it won't be done. But it is a fascinating idea. Recall the way platforms are thrown together at national conventions, with such studied eagerness to put nothing in them that can offend the most sensitive; and then recall the way they are promptly forgotten as soon as they are passed; and see if you don't come close to agreeing with the lady.

HOUSTON HUSTLES.

The city of Houston is making great preparations for the Democratic convention, according to news dispatches. It has ordered thousands of shrubs to plant around its public buildings. Every vacant lot in town is to be planted with flowers and shrubs. Contractors have agreed to finish all paving jobs before the convention opens. Main highways leading into the city will be put in shape and all detours will be eliminated.

It begins to sound as though the delegates to that convention were to be lucky men. It is mighty fine to read of civic pride like that. It presages an open-hearted welcome to the hosts of Democracy.

French scientists are taking pictures of sounds. The picture we'd like to see is father's oration when a couple of doors are slammed just after the baby has been rocked to sleep again.

The supreme court of the state of Georgia has decided that the husband, like the king of England, has become a mere figurehead. Has become? And since when?

Whatever the dirt farmer gets from Congress, there's bound to be some dirt in it somewhere.

A New York newspaper advertises that it is about to print the truth about Russia. That is, this week's truth about Russia.

Our suggestion to European nations to abolish submarines seems to be followed in every possible way at home.

THE TINYMITES
STORY BY HAL COCHRAN—PICTURES BY KNICK



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

The whipped cream bowl went down the street. "I hope that this will be a treat," said Clowdy, as he trudged along, excited as could be. "The bowl has promised us some fun. We'll follow where'er it may run. Can anyone imagine what it is we're going to see?"

Then Coppy said, "Why start to fret about a thing like that? I'll bet the bowl is merely running us around to tire us out. But, gee, my curiosity just seems to have the best of me. I'm going to stick until we find what is to be found out."

The Tinies' friend, the baker man, stood back and watched them as they ran. "I guess I'll let them go alone. They'll be all right," said he. "They'll all come back when they are through, and I have lots of work to do. If they are playing with the bowl they will not bother me."

When they had run a wee bit more, wee Carpy cried, "My legs are sore."

(The Tinymites find some queer hoops in the next story.)

try to climb out.

By splinters I mean the nasty pricks of gossip. Not that one has to be immoral to get talked about but I do think it was man's putting us up on a pedestal to keep the world safe for the tired philosopher that started gossip in the first place.

If there was anything wrong in my seeing Norman he is just as guilty as I am. And it was partly because I was afraid he would take up drinking as a vocation that I didn't marry him soon after we were engaged. But I suppose everyone is feeling sorry for him.

Women may be the biggest scandal mongers but it was the man's conventions that made us the targets for each other's barbed tongues. I'm praying for the day when women will all realize this and stick together to shake off the shackles they put on us. In the meantime I'm the goat at home, it appears. Happily it worries me not, except for you, Mom dear.

Darling love,
MARYE.

NEXT: "Mom" on the single stand.



BY RUTH DEWEY GROVES

Mom, dearest:

Imagine people talking about anything so trivial as my seeing Norman when he was here! And they might remember that he was known to take a drink long before I married Alan—and I don't mean water. It's funny how the world always wants to blame some woman for a man's skidding and make her pay if they can. But when it's vice versa you don't see any mad rush to punish the man.

Well, that's an injustice that women will correct when they get the reins in their own hands. It was a pretty easy trick the men took when they put across the single standard idea. It left them free to philander without obligation to pay the piper but the piper has always been a Shylock I understand and so the woman had to pay.

It's a lot of applesauce about women being the custodians of morals. That was just a subtle masculine touch to make us like man's one-sided rule of conduct. What he has failed to foresee, though, is that woman is going to demand that he measure up to the standard he has set for her. When the time comes that an immoral man is as horribly disgraced as an immoral woman, man may wish he hadn't built the fence quite so high. Once on our side, presuming we are all as good as men, we said we must be, they'll get just as full of splinters as any of us if they

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GOVERNOR WILL
GIVE TWO MORE
WEEKS IN DRIVE

Fortnight for His Campaign Down State: Then to Cook Co.

Springfield—Governor Len Small, Kankakee farmer and banker, seeking renomination and reelection on the Republican ticket has entered the final four weeks of the primary campaign facing a period of strenuous activity.

Basing his appeal for return to office on the accomplishments of his seven year administration, he has already addressed political gatherings and road delegations in a score of cities, and now plans two more weeks of downstate electioneering before entering Chicago where he will campaign during the fortnight preceding the primaries.

The 65-year-old executive with an exacting smile and seemingly inexhaustible energy, promised one packed house after another a continuation of his highway construction program if reelected.

Has Built 5513 Miles

Figures furnished by the Illinois division of highways show 5513 miles of paving have been laid since he took office in 1921, substantiating his claim that he brought "Illinois farmers out of the mud."

Born on a farm near Kankakee June 16, 1862, he has always been interested in the development of rural districts and has had his chief support from the farmers. He now operates a modernized agricultural and stock raising plant outside that city and spends most of his week ends and holidays there.

He was active in the development of the Kankakee Inter-State Fair and the Illinois State Fair and his first public office was that of Kankakee county supervisor.

In 1896 he became clerk of the circuit court there and then served as a member and later as president of the Kankakee state hospital board.

His State Offices

In 1902 he came to the Illinois capital as state senator and in 1904 was elected state treasurer. Forbidden by law to succeed himself in this office in 1910 he accepted appointment as assistant United States treasurer in charge of the sub-station at Chicago. He again was elected state treasurer in 1916, and left this office to become governor in 1921.

Small is president and one of the directors of the First Trust and Savings Bank of Kankakee and has been prominently identified with other business and civic undertakings there. He is a member of the First Methodist church of Kankakee and attends services regularly.

In 1883 he was married to Ida Moore of Kankakee, who died during his first term as governor. One of his two sons, Budd L. Small, manages the Kankakee farm and the other, Leslie C. Small, is head of the state division of purchases and construction.

His daughter, Mrs. A. E. Inglesh, spends most of her time with the governor and presides in the executive mansion at Springfield. Her husband also of Kankakee, is state administrative auditor department of finance.

A THOUGHT
FOR TODAY

FELLOWSHIP OF PRAYER

Man, a Channel of God. (Read John 14:1-13). Memory Verse: The Father abiding in me, He doeth His works. (John 14:10).

Jesus speaks of Himself here as being but a channel through which God

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

BY AHERNS



was working. The author of a book which Luther says had much influence on his life remarks: "I would fain be to the Eternal God what his own right hand is to a man".

A man's right hand is but the agency through which the man works his will. To think of oneself as being one means through which the good God will express His goodness makes life very wonderful and sacred. Says Professor Bennett: "Worship can transform mortal ambition by changing it from an effort to become something into an effort to express something". What will it not add to the day if we think of ourselves as agents through which God is trying to express something beautiful and helpful to those whom we meet?

Prayer: O Lord, Thou has called us to be lights in the world. Help us this day, in word and in deed to remind the circles in which we move of Thy love, Thy Beauty and Thy way for men. Amen.

The tree is known by his fruit.—

Matt. 12:33.

'Tis deeds must win the prize.—Shakespeare.

ORIGINAL AT LEAST

A Chinese newspaper contained this letter from an applicant for work: "Sir: I am Wang. I can drive a typewriter with good noise and my English is great. My last job has left itself from me, for the good reason that the large man has dead. It was on account of no fault of mine. So, honorable sirs, what about it? If I can be of big use to you, I will arrive on same date that you should guess."—Tit-Bits.

TOMMY THINKS SO

TEACHER: Tommy, you've not done a stroke of work this morning, and I've told you again and again that the devil finds work for idle hands to do.

TOMMY: Yes'm.

TEACHER: Now take your copy-book and write that out 20 times.—Tit-Bits.

ILLINOIS QUIZZES

(BY THE A.P.)

1. Who are the Representatives at Large from Illinois in the U. S. Congress?
2. Where was Senator Charles S. Deneen born?
3. How many Illinois Congressmen are Democrats?
4. How many Congressmen does Illinois have?
5. What Illinois member of Congress is the eldest in length of service?

ANSWERS

1. Richard Yates and Henry R. Rathbone.
2. Edwardsville, Illinois.
3. Seven.
4. 27.
5. Martin B. Madden, Republican of Chicago, has served in Congress since he was elected to the Fifty Ninth Congress.



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ESTIMATED POPULATION

120,013,000

Census Bureau Figured Growth of U. S. to July 1

Washington, March 14—(AP)—A provisional estimate by the Census Bureau today placed the population of the United States as of July 1, 1928 at 120,013,000, an increase of 14 per cent over the 105,710,620 actual count on January 1, 1920. The next federal census will not be taken before 1930.

The new total was arrived at by estimating the increase since 1920 on the basis of the best available returns on births, deaths, immigration and emigration.

The bureau also apportioned the increase on this basis for the 48 states and the District of Columbia.

Florida, where the population was estimated to have increased about 48 per cent between 1920 and 1928, showed the greatest gain although a 35 percent increase was indicated for California, and nearly 30 per cent gain for Michigan.

Table of Estimates
The following table shows the actual census of 1920 by states and their estimated population for July 1, next, the estimates being made by distributing the total increase of the United States from 1910 to 1920, or, where there has been a state census, from 1920 to 1925, except that where there was a decrease between 1910 and 1920 or between 1920 and 1925, the 1920 or 1925 census figure is retained and no estimate is made:

United States	Estimated Census Jan 1, 1920	Population July 1, 1928
Alabama	1,348,174	2,573,000 (A)
Arizona	334,162	474,000
Arkansas	1,752,204	1,944,000
California	3,426,861	4,556,000
Colorado	838,629	1,090,000
Connecticut	1,380,631	1,667,000
Delaware	223,003	244,000
District of Columbia	437,571	552,000
Florida	968,470	1,411,000
Georgia	2,895,832	3,203,000
Idaho	431,866	546,000
Illinois	6,465,280	7,396,000
Indiana	2,930,390	3,176,000
Iowa	2,404,021	2,428,000
Kansas	1,769,237	1,835,000
Kentucky	2,416,630	2,553,000
Louisiana	1,798,509	1,950,000
Maine	768,014	785,000
Maryland	1,449,661	1,616,000
Massachusetts	3,852,356	4,290,000
Michigan	3,668,412	4,591,000
Minnesota	2,387,125	2,722,000
Mississippi	1,790,618	1,790,618 (B)
Missouri	3,404,055	3,323,000
Montana	548,889	548,889 (C)
Nebraska	1,296,372	1,408,000
Nevada	77,407	77,407 (B)
New Hampshire	443,083	456,000
New Jersey	3,155,900	3,821,000
New Mexico	360,350	396,000
New York	10,385,227	11,550,000
North Carolina	2,559,123	2,938,000
North Dakota	646,872	641,192 (D)
Ohio	5,759,394	6,826,000
Oklahoma	2,026,283	2,426,000
Oregon	783,289	902,000
Pennsylvania	8,720,017	9,854,000
Rhode Island	604,397	716,000
South Carolina	1,633,724	2,184,000
South Dakota	636,547	704,000
Tennessee	2,337,885	2,502,000
Texas	4,623,228	5,487,000
Utah	449,396	531,000
Vermont	352,428	352,428 (B)
Virginia	2,309,187	2,575,000
Washington	1,356,621	1,587,000
West Virginia	1,462,601	1,724,000
Wisconsin	2,632,067	2,953,000
Wyoming	194,402	247,000

(A) Provisional estimate, data regarding births, deaths, immigration and emigration from 1927 to 1928 not being available.

A. P. Staff Man Viewed Flooded Valley from Air

Los Angeles, Calif., March 14—(AP)—A staff correspondent of The Associated Press, who flew over the desolate San Francisco Canyon Tuesday, viewed from the air the shattered St. Francis dam, its central section alone standing a gloomy sentinel over the death and destruction that stretched down the once beautiful valley.

Through the great embasements on either side, where the east and west wings had been crashed outward by the pressure of five miles of water, the torrent had poured, stretching the broken sections prone and then rushing down the canyon, gouging out everything in its path.

Looking down the valley, where yesterday had bloomed numerous little citrus groves, there was nothing to be seen but a bare expanse of yellow sand, piled on top of the soil, some places to a depth of thirty feet, by the advancing wall of water.

For a stretch of approximately ten miles below the dam not a structure remained standing except a lone powerhouse. Here and there a forlorn palm tree clung to the sides of the gorge.

From the air the deserted canyon seemed to have been cut out and overlaid with a yellow coating by some giant's knife. Sharp edges like the cut banks of the Grand Canyon stood out in grim relief, where fertile fields had lain the night before.

Below the power house, approximately 12 miles from the dam itself, the highway bridge across the river bed which widened out of the mouth of the canyon, had been carried away, and on both sides, automobiles were banked tiers deep, seeking a crossing. Farther down lay blotches of wreckage on the landscape, the river, now tranquil after its raging career Tuesday night, winding along over its old bed towards the sea at Ventura.

(B) Population, January 1, 1920, decrease 1910 to 1920.
(C) Population January 1, 1920.
(D) Population, state census, 1925.

Religious Census is Now Under Way

A most enthusiastic meeting of the workers in the Religious Census of the city was held Monday evening at the Y. M. C. A. more than 125 being in attendance. A bountiful supper was served, under the direction of a committee consisting of Mrs. Roy Withers, chairman; Mrs. DeWitt Dauntler, Mrs. L. N. Drach, Mrs. J. E. Reagan, Mrs. W. Rossiter and Mrs. John Miller. The Rev. W. W. Marshall, Chairman of the survey organization, outlined in detail the plans for the actual working out of the survey and his remarks were supplemented by J. C. Koller, Secretary. The district captains met with their workers to plan the work for Tuesday. It is expected that a large part of the work will be finished on the first day and the work of calling on homes will be continued until every home in Dixon and vicinity has been visited. A splendid enthusiasm has been evidenced and all workers are enthusiastic, feeling that it will do much to help the church in covering its ground thoroughly. Headquarters have been established at the Y. M. C. A. and the work of sorting and checking cards will be carried on by a corps of workers consisting of Rev. W. W. Marshall, H. V. Baldwin, Ira Lewis, Mrs. J. C. Koller and J. C. Koller.

Germans were seen in the blood of people who had died with the plague as early as 1675 and it was suggested at the time that they might be the cause of the disease.

Gone are the BILIOUS DAYS

Biliousness disappears when you follow this simple, home treatment. First: Eat simpler food, allowing digestive system a chance to improve. Second: Stimulate better digestion and bowel regularity by taking Chamberlain's Tablets for a week. They are a healthy laxative, get results quickly. Box on 25¢ packet alone at your druggist. For free sample write Chamberlain Med. Co., 609 8th Ave., St. Paul, Minn., Iowa.

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Fat and fad are mortal enemies. You can't be stylish and fleshy. The two don't go together. But there is no need to be stout. You can have the slender figure which fashion demands, and what's more you can have it

WITHOUT CHANGE OF DIET OR UNNECESSARY EXERCISE

I am a licensed New York Physician. For years I have specialized in obesity and have treated thousands of men and women overburdened with excessive flesh. I prescribe for my patients so that their general health will be improved as well as their weight reduced. Will you take advantage of my great offer?

FREE TRIAL TREATMENT AND VALUABLE BOOKLET

Know from actual experience that my treatment will help you as it has helped thousands of others. Read what a few patients say:

MRS. O. WHITLOW writes: "I have lost 70 pounds as a result of taking your treatment and have never felt so well in my life as I do now."

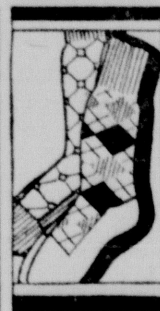
MRS. S. S. S. writes: "I have lost 70 pounds as a result of taking your treatment. I feel better in every way. I can now take long walks without becoming tired or short of breath. I thank you very much for what you have done for me."

Always remember that fat is dangerous. Your very life is threatened by excess flesh. Get rid of that fat now. You'll feel better, look better and live longer. Write now, this minute, for booklet and Free trial treatment.

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Ladies'
Rayon Silk
Hose
39c Pair



Men's
Rayon and
Lisle
Novelty Sox
15c Pair



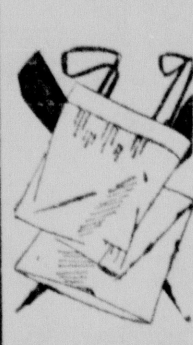
Misses' Rayon and Lisle
HOSE
25c Pair

Substandards of a regular 39c to 50c novelty hose. Could easily be sold as "firsts" the imperfections are so slight.



Muslin
Gowns
59c each

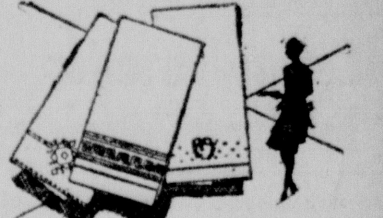
Ladies' gowns of a good quality muslin. Lace and embroidery trimmed. High or low neck. Come in white or colors.



Rayon
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Slips
95c
Special

TAN, HONEY, CORAL, WHITE, FLESH.

A slip that will give the service of ordinary \$1.50 quality.



Hand Embroidered
Pillow Cases
Each 25c
42x36 inches

Embroidered in colors on good quality muslin.

Our 21st ANNIVERSARY SALE

Sale Begins Thurs., Mar. 15---Sale Ends Sat., Mar. 24

FRAMED PICTURES

Each 89c Each

Printed reproductions of Old Masters.
LANDSCAPES, TREES, MARINES, FLOWER GARDENS, ETC.

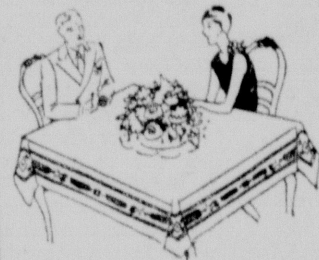
The hundreds of these that we have sold for \$1.00 each is proof of their value.

GLASS COVERED—
TWO TONE FRAME.



Women's
Gingham
Aprons
each
50c

You could not afford to make one of these for 50c, if the material was free. Your choice of a wide range of checks or plaids.



Each
\$1.39

IMPORTED, ALL LINEN
LUNCH CLOTH
Size 54x70 inch. White with blue, gold, green or rose border.



Women's Rayon
Silk Dresses
Each \$1.69

For early spring wear you would expect to pay considerably more for a good quality print rayon or rayon mixed dress.

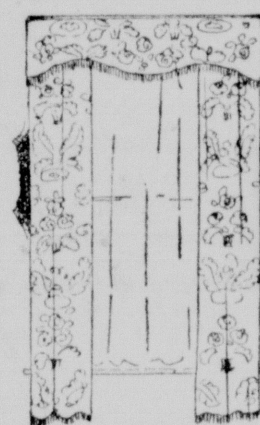
FOR HOUSE OR STREET WEAR.



Special
\$1.00

All Silk
Crepe de Chine

Full size and allover printed. We think this is the best value we have ever offered in a ladies' scarf.



Fine French
Marquisette
Fuffed Curtains
Each 89c

This is a regular \$1.50 curtain, size 30 inch by 2 1/2 yards, a value you can't afford to miss.

Here are a few extra specials for our Anniversary Sale:

Five White Grenadine Ruffled Curtain and Valance Sets. Novelty designs. \$1.49

Set Ruffled Curtains in White or White Checked Marquisette with tie backs. 50c

Pair Voile Ruffled Curtain and Valance Sets. 27 inch by 2 1/4 yards. \$1.00

Set Rayon Silk Panel with Silk Fringe. 35 inch by 2 1/4 yards. Natural colors. 89c

Each Five French Marquisette Panel. Natural color. Scalloped silk fringe. 89c

Each

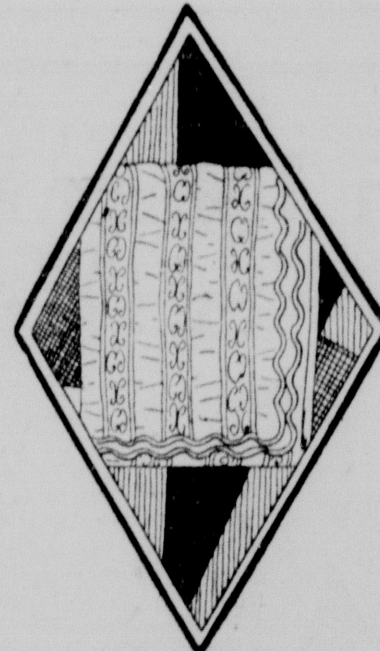
SPECIALS IN TOILET PREPARATIONS

\$1.00 Size Listerine, 79c
each
\$1.00 Size Bath Salts. Glass Jug, 59c
each
\$1.25 Size Bath Set. Body Powder 89c
and Bath Salt, set
Woodbury's Facial Soap. White 17c
supply lasts, bar
Delica—A high-grade body talc. 39c
Regular 65c value, each

DRESSES SCARFS and VANITY SETS

50c Each

A good quality tan cloth, embroidered in colors. Designs are flowers, birds, etc. These are discontinued patterns of regular \$1.00 pieces.
Replace that old scarf now, while you can get a bargain.



81x105 Seamless
Silk
Bedspread
Each \$2.95

This anniversary price is made possible by the co-operation of one of the largest bedspread mills in the country. This is our regular \$4.50 spread.

Natural color with stripes of blue or rose.

81x90 Inch Seamless and Hemmed
Sheets, each 79c

FOUNTAIN PENS

Special \$1.00 Each

BIRTHDAYS, GRADUATIONS, TRAVELING, BUSINESS and a multitude of other uses for a good fountain pen. This assortment consists of regular \$1.50 pens in black or colors.

GUARANTEED FOR 1 YEAR.

CHILDREN'S POUCH PURSES

Anniversary Special, 25c each

A factory cleanup of some 50c purses we are offering you for this anniversary special. See the hand painted designs.



LADIES'
FELT HATS
Two Special Groups
\$1.69 \$2.69

Every felt hat especially priced during this anniversary sale. Styles are up to the minute and may be had in most popular colors for early spring.

Women's Trimmed Hats
Anniversary Special \$2.98

Here are hats that every woman can afford to buy and styles she will be proud to wear.

Other Trimmed Hats featured at \$4.75

MEN'S BLUE CHAMBRAY WORK SHIRTS

Special 50c Each.

Good quality chambray, in sizes 15 to 17 1/2. Full cut. Double stitched. A good shirt for the price.

24-Inch SUIT CASES

Each \$1.00.

BLACK and TAN. Made of good quality ply Keratol. Two brass hinges. Two brass latches and key lock.



EXTRA SPECIAL FOR Our 21st Anniversary FLAT CREPE Silk Dresses \$4.95

The surprising feature of these dresses is the quality of the silk crepe. Add to that the smart styles and good workmanship which is outstanding, the result is a dress worth considerably more than our sale price.

YOU WILL WANT TWO OR THREE OF THESE DRESSES

SPURGEON'S
POPULAR PRICE STORES
DIXON STORE AT 110 FIRST STREET

GENUINE "KICKAWAY" BLOOMERS 95c Pair

They fit all forms. FIVE STYLES. PASTEL COLORS. Made of high-grade rayon, medallion trimmed. The "Shorty" and "French Panty" styles are quite popular.

Also a Genuine "Kickaway" of Striped Satteen at SPECIAL 50c Pair

FLESH, PEACH, ORCHID, CORAL, WHITE, NILE and LIGHT BLUE.

ANNIVERSARY SPECIAL CHILDREN'S DRESSES of PRINTED INDIAN HEAD

All over printed novelty patterns. Absolutely fast colors. You know the wearing quality of Indian Head. An ideal school dress. Regular \$1.98 dress for

Anniversary Sale, \$1.48



Report of Lee County Nurse for February Complete

Nursing Service for the month of February, 1928.

Tuberculosis Sanitarium Board of Lee County.

Nurse Jesse S. Burtisfield, Dixon.

Patients on file last month 338

Patients during the month 9

Type of cases:

Suspect 67

Active 122

Observation 158

Total 347

Visits to patients 18

Visits to doctors 13

Cases hospitalized 8

Cases died during month 0

Cases left county 0

Cases reported to health officer 9

Conferences or meetings attended 3

Other meetings 4

Social Service visits 2

Clinics:

Tuberculosis, number of patients 29

Schools:

Schools inspected 3

Pupils inspected 94

Pupils underweight (10% or more) 15

Pupils overweight (20% or more) 4

Defects in vision 9

Corrections in vision 1

Defects in teeth 50

Teeth filled 8

Defects in nose 28

Defects in tonsils 54

Tonsils removed 1

Health Talks were given by Dr. Elizabeth B. Ball, Pediatrician, of the Division of Child Hygiene of the Department of Public Health, Springfield, Ill., to the following high schools:

Feb. 29, Harmon, Amboy, Lee Center, Franklin Grove.

March 1, W. Brooklyn, Compton, Paw Paw.

March 2, Steward, Lee.

RADIO RIALTO

WEDNESDAY EVENING

7:00—Champion Sparkers: Bonnie Laddies—WJZ KDKA WLW WJR KYW KWK WRHM.

8:00—Kolster Hour: Music of Famous Composers—WOR WADC WAIU WKRC WGHM WMAQ WWOV KMOX KMBC KOIL.

8:00—Ipana Troubadours: Lumberjack Songs—WEAF WRC WGY WGR WTAM WWJ WSAI WLBI KSD WCCO WOC WHO WOV WWC WBP KPRC WHAS WSM WMC WSB KOA WFAA WDAF.

8:30—Goodrich Hour: Orchestra and Quartet—WEAF WRC WGY WGR WTAM WWJ WSAI WGN KSD WCCO WOC WHO WOV WWC WFAA WHAS WMC WSM WSB WDAF KPRC WOAI.

9:00—Columbia Phonograph Hour: Irish Program—WOR WAIU WGHM WWOV KMBC WADC WKRC WMAQ KMOX KOIL.

9:30—National Grand Opera: "La Gioconda"—WEAF WRC WGR WTAM WSAI WTMJ KSD WHO WOV WHAS WSB WOC.

THURSDAY EVENING

5:30—Dyotters: Orchestra and quartet—WOR WADC WAIU WKRC WGHM WMAQ WWOV KMOX KMBC KOIL.

7:00—Dodge Presentation: Radio Stars—WEAF WRC WGY WGR WTAM WWJ WSAI WEBH WTMJ KSD WRHM WOC WHO WOV WDAF KVOO WFAA WOAI WHAS WSM WMC WSB KOA.

7:30—Hoover Sentinels: Broadway Composers—EAF WRC WGY WTAM WWJ WSAI WEBH KSD WCCO WOC WHO WOV WDAF KVOO KFAA WHAS WSM WMC WSB.

7:30—Ampico Hour: J. Milton Delcamp Pianist—WJZ KDKA WLW WJR KYW KWK WTMJ WRHM.

8:00—Maxwell Hour: Orchestra Selections—WJZ KDKA WLW WJR KYW WTMJ KSD WRHM WOC WHO WOV WDAF WBP KVOO KPRC WHAS WSM WMC WSB WJAX KOA.

9:00—Smith Brothers—WEAF WRC WGR WWJ WSAI WEBH KSD WCCO WOC WDAF.

PROGRESSIVE REPUBLICAN MEETING

At Court House Friday evening, March 6th, at 7:30. Everybody invited to hear the issues of the day discussed. Some good speakers will talk.

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Do you know that the Dixon Loan & Building Association is one of our best and strongest institutions. If you are interested in saving money investigate the association. The Secretary will give you desired information.

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to work off the cold and to fortify the system against Grip, Influenza and other serious ills, resulting from a cold. The Safe and Proven Remedy. Price 30c.

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Step Right Up, Ladies and Gents



There is 200 pounds difference in their weight, 28 years in their ages and 36 inches in height—but love just can't be bothered with discrepancies like that. John Creech, 46-year-old Oklahoma giant, who stands 8 feet 6 inches tall, applied for a license in San Francisco recently to marry the girl on the left. She is Miss Grace Carlisle, 18, who is 5 feet 6 inches tall and weighs 600 pounds. Grant Munson, 5 feet 3 inches, marriage clerk, stands between them.

COMPTON NEWS

Compton—A delegation from here went to Walnut to be present at the public hearing held in that place by the highway department from Springfield, Gov. Small and many other state officials were present.

Several of the Rengenhart Construction Co.'s foremen were here Saturday and informed us that they will commence work on the highway as soon as working orders are obtained from the state, which they expect to receive in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bodie Holdren, accompanied by Don Archer and his sister Helen, were here over Sunday

home here. Miss Ida Horton is caring for him during his illness.

Mrs. Nettie Cook died suddenly at her home last Sunday afternoon about 6 o'clock, while sitting in her chair at home. Mrs. Cook has not been in the best of health, but was able to be up and about, and it was while visiting with a close neighbor at her home, she passed away without suffering. She has lived alone in her home on the east side of town, but her daughter, Mrs. L. D. Miller was constantly caring for her. Mrs. Cook has two children, Mrs. L. D. Miller of this place and Dr. B. F. Cook of Rutland, Vt. Services were held Wednesday at the M. E. church of which she was a member.

Mrs. Christiana Zea, invalid sister of Mrs. Ellen Hyde, is quite improved after a rather serious illness which lasted for several days last week.

Henry Kehm was unable to move to his home here last week as Mrs. Kehm is caring for the baby girl born last Tuesday evening, March 6th to their daughter, Mrs. Howard Bodner.

Mrs. John K. Mannon died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ada Haefner last Saturday afternoon, where she has been staying during the past year. Mrs. Mannon was buried beside her husband, who had preceded her in death, last Monday afternoon at the Brooklyn cemetery.

Elizabeth Ann Lamb (daughter of Smith and Nancy Lamb) was born July 19, 1899 at Watertown, New York and died March 10, 1928, aged 29 years, 7 months and 20 days. She was the seventh child of a family of twelve children all of whom have preceded her in death, excepting one sister, Mrs. Tura Helguine of Thorpe, Washington, and a brother Charles Lamb of Marshalltown, Iowa. At the age of twelve she came west with her parents to a farm near LaMoille, Ill., later her parents came to live at Melu-gline Grove.

On Sept. 20, 1866 she was married to John K. Mannon, who preceded her in death Dec. 14, 1918.

To this union four children were born, Frank, who died in infancy; Mrs. Etta Krebs of Rockford, Mrs. Ada Haefner of Compton and John E. Mannon of Rockford. She leaves six grandchildren to mourn her death.

She had spent the greater part of her life in this vicinity having been a member of the M. E. church for forty years though of late was unable to attend services, but still remained a devout Christian woman in her home. The last year and a half of her life was spent with her daughter, Ada Haefner of Compton where everything was done for her comfort that human hands could do. She was a model mother, well loved by her grandchildren and well thought of by a host of friends.—L. G. A.

Mrs. Ed. Pohl of Mendota and son Eugene, called at the local hospital on Monday of last week.

Martin Bauer is seriously ill at his

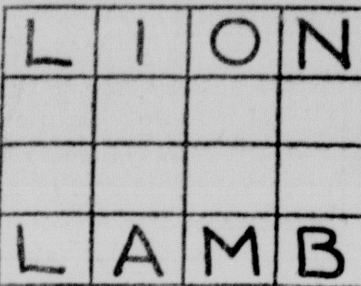
Nurses Record Sheets for sale by B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

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STARTS LIKE A LION

This month of March is when lions and lambs get a lot of publicity, but there really isn't much difference between the two—at least in letter golf. From LION to LAMB is par three. One solution is on page 11.



THE RULES

1.—The idea of letter golf is to change one word to another and do it in par, a given number of strokes. Thus to change COW to HEN, in three strokes, COW, HOW, HEW, HEN.

2.—You can change only one letter at a time.

3.—You must have a complete word, of common usage, for each pump. Slang words and abbreviations don't count.

4.—The order of letters cannot be changed.

One solution is printed on page 11.

Louisiana City Still

Ruled by First Mayor

Bogalusa, La.—(AP)—This little city of 16,000 people has had but one mayor.

He is W. H. Sullivan and was elected in 1914, when the town first was incorporated. Three times since then he has been re-elected without opposition and apparently has the office so long as he is willing to serve. Here is the reason:

Unlike many villages that grow up about lumber mills only to slump when the plant has cut its timber and moved away, Bogalusa has become an orderly city of paved streets, public parks, beautiful public buildings, golf links and churches.

All this has been accomplished under the leadership of Mayor Sullivan, who also is vice president and general manager of a great lumber company. He fathered the re-forestation movement in Louisiana, which is responsible for the growth and permanency of Bogalusa.

Behind the cutting crews follows a planting squad. And today more than 100,000 acres of growing pine

trees clothe lands with otherwise would be barren hills.

Unique among Bogalusas' unusual structures is a giant refuse burner. Its idleness is a monument to Mayor Sullivan's ideal of efficiency and economy.

"I cost \$75,000, but my fire has destroyed \$1,344,000 worth of what was formerly considered waste," reads an inscription on the burner.

A RABID FAN

FATHER: Suppose we call the baby Zophier?

MOTHER: Oh, poor kid! What does it stand for?

FATHER: Nothing, only it'll work out this cross-word puzzle.—Aussie, Sydney.

Lee and adjoining counties subscribers to the Telegraph please call at the Evening Telegraph and pay your subscription, \$5.00 a year.

Upper Air is Helium

British Savant Holds

London.—(AP)—One hundred miles above the surface of the earth the atmosphere consists almost wholly of helium gas, believes Sir William Napier Shaw, eminent meteorologist.

If this conclusion is right it will never be possible, it is contended for aircraft to navigate the upper atmosphere.

In a new "manual of meteorology" in which Sir Napier Shaw sets forth this view he deals with many other matters bearing upon atmospheric conditions.

He maintains that as the light of auroras has been seen as high as 500 miles above the earth, gases of some kind must exist far out from the globe.

Comparatively low down comes the famous "heavy side" layer in the atmosphere, 30 to 50 miles up. It is this

layer which reflects wireless waves and renders wireless signalling possible.

One point that emerges from Sir Napier's investigations is that meteorology thus far has afforded no means of forecasting the weather at the earth's surface for ahead, although he supports to some extent the theory that there is a cycle of 35 years in which the weather repeats itself.

VERY ROUGH

TRAGEDIAN: I suppose you, like other landladies, have special terms for actors.

LANDLADY: Oh yes—only I'm too perille to use 'em in your presence.—Passing Show.

Florence, Italy—Mme. Sasla Erlich first woman lawyer to appear in a court case here, came from Paris to help defend an alleged embezzler.

The Worsted-tex

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YOU MUST NOT JUDGE WORSTED TEX BY ITS PRICE

The price is \$40. But it isn't a \$40 suit.

It is tailored to meet the exacting requirements of the man who usually buys expensive clothes. The cloth is the kind you see at a fine custom tailor's.

And our guarantee is this: if it doesn't wear as well as the best suit you can buy at any price, we will replace it.

The success of the Worsted-tex Suit all over the United States is sensational.

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"While trailing big game in Africa, I have never been without my Lucky Strike Cigarette. Once on the Abyssinian border my shipment of them from America missed us, and I was miserable until the natives followed our tracks across the Kaisout desert to Nairobi with my precious cargo of Luckies. After four years of smoking Luckies in wildest Africa, I find my voice in perfect condition for my lecture tour in America."

Martin Johnson



"The Cream of the Tobacco Crop"

for Lucky Strikes says Tobacco Buyer

"Buying tobacco for LUCKY STRIKE Cigarettes is a matter of selecting the finest grown. It is my duty and instruction to buy 'The Cream of the Tobacco Crop' for this brand. Nothing is omitted or spared in making my purchase just a little better. Quality always tells."

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No Throat Irritation—No Cough.

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6 Times	5c Per Word, 1.25 Minimum
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26 Times, One Month	15c Per Word, 3.75 Minimum

All Classified Ads must be accompanied by the money. There are no exceptions to this rule.

Card of Thanks75c Minimum
(Additional lines 10c line.)

Reading Notice in Society and City in
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Reading Notices10c per line

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All classified advertisement must be delivered to this office not later than 11 A. M. on day of publication.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—New console rug, new beds, new springs, new mattresses. Gallagher's Square Deal New and Second Hand Store, 609 W. Third St. Open nights. Tel. X1348. 11c

FOR SALE—New and used pianos and phonographs. Trade and terms. Our overhead expenses are less, we sell for less. Strong Music Co. 84c

FOR SALE—Furniture and stoves. We are the oldest, the biggest and the best. Fred & Unangst Second Hand Store, 113 Peoria Ave. Phone 296. 12c

FOR SALE—Let us clean your car inside and out the way you like it. F. C. Eno, Buick Sales & Service. 290c

FOR SALE—Healo, the most effective foot powder on the market. Ask any druggist for it. Only 25c a box. 7c

FOR SALE—Nurses record sheets. B. F. Shaw Printing Co. 1c

FOR SALE—For Exide batteries, Watson Stabilizers, Goodyear tires, Ever-Ready Prestone, the perfect Anti-Freeze, Moto-Gard radiator shutters, car heaters and Lorraine Controllable driving light. Call on H. A. Marages, 79 Galena Ave. Phone 446. 27c

FOR SALE—5 (30x3 1/2) over size tires, tubes and rims. Grow Auto Parts. 25c

FOR SALE—1923 Chevrolet Truck. NASH GARAGE. Phone 201. 58c

FOR SALE—1 C Kurtzman Player, was \$750, slightly used, for \$295; 1 Werner Walnut, was \$635, cannot be told from new, for \$375; 1 Electric Nicker in the Slot Wurlitzer Player with Flute and Banjo attachments, for only \$195. These are all real big bargains. Theo. J. Miller & Sons, Dixon, Ill. 58c

FOR SALE—1 new 40x8 Tire\$65.00
1 new 32x3 1/2 Tire\$15.00
1 new 34x7.70 Tire\$15.00
1 new 37x4.40 Tire and Tube\$10.00
1 new 5 Tube Crosley Radios\$65.00
complete installed\$65.00
RAY SHAVER, Phone X439. 58c

FOR SALE—Good home grown timothy seed at \$1.50 and \$1.75 bushel. All we have or all you want. Walton Co-operative Co. 58c

FOR SALE—2 second hand bicycles. Good condition. General Repair Shop, 115 Hennepin Ave. Phone X702. 50c

FOR SALE—1927 Tudor Ford coach. Fine running condition. Fully equipped, extras, good balloon tires, priced right. Will take Ford touring or roadster in trade. Terms. Phone 12126. 60c

FOR SALE—2-year-old Pure Bred Holstein bull, "Peter Pontiac Decoration No. 464010." T. B. tested. U. G. Fuls, Dixon, Ill. 60c

FOR SALE—Baldwin upright piano, walnut case, and gas stove, high oven, Lorraine regulator, cabinet base, used 3 months. Tel. X1169, or call at 711 S. Hennepin. 61c

FOR SALE—First-class Player Rolls at 59c. Why pay more? Strong Music Co. 61c

FOR SALE—Team horses, 6 and 8 years old. Phone 96200. 61c

FOR SALE—10 good young native farm horses, A. J. Hollenbeck, 1 mile south of Nelson, R3, Rock Falls, Ill. 61c

FOR SALE—Combination sale at Spence's barn, Amboy, Saturday, March 17th, at 1 p. m. sharp. Call 259 and list property early. John Gentry, Auctioneer, Finch & Barnes, Clerk. 61c

FOR SALE—BUICK. UNUSED TRANSPORTATION. DODGE—1924 Touring Car. Good running condition. Worth our price. BUICK—1927 Country Club Coupe Standard 6. New car guarantee. CHRYSLER—1926 2-Door Sedan. Driven 7500. New car guarantee. CHEVROLET—1926 Landau Sedan. Fine condition. Guaranteed. Our best used car ads are not written. They're driven. 61c

FOR SALE—Buick Sales and Service, Dixon, Ill. 60c

FOR SALE—2 second-hand Anthony dump bodies. George Netiz & Co. 60c

CONSIGNMENT SALE—Saturday, March 17th, 1 o'clock at Fred's Feed Barn, Peoria Ave. 10 new sets of work harness, harness repairs, collars, pads, straps, tractor, plows, garden tools, buggy, poultry, horses, pigs. Fred Hobbs, Auctioneer, Jake Dockery, Clerk. 62c

FOR SALE—A new home, 6 rooms and bath with oak floors and built-in features, lot 50x150, in good location. Also a lot for building, close-in, fine location, on paved street, all assessment paid. Also for sale a good gas stove, Lloyd baby buggy and Victor sonnet victrola. Phone 1681. 62c

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Velle demonstrators. Before you buy look these over. New. Man Bros. 31c

FOR SALE—Jersey cow, will be fresh about April 1st. Phone L12683. 60c

TURN YOUR SPARE TIME INTO money by taking orders for our Hardy, Guaranteed Trees, Plants, etc. Others are doing it. You send in the orders and get your pay every week. We furnish everything necessary to successfully carry on the work. Write today to The Coe, Converse & Edwards Co., Fort Atkinson, Wis. Mon., Wed., Sat. 62c

FOR SALE—Edison victrola. Good condition. 514 W. First St. Phone K251. 1c

FOR SALE—DODGE TOURING, winter enclosure. 1 DODGE 4-PASSENGER COUPE. 1 DODGE SEDAN. 1 1925 STUDEBAKER SPECIAL. A1 condition, winter enclosure. 1 1923 CHANDLER TOURING. Good tires. E. D. COUNTRYMAN, Studebaker Sales & Service. 62c

FOR SALE—1927 Dodge DeLuxe Sedan\$595
1925 Chevrolet Coupe\$300
1927 Ford Sedan\$365
Dodge Roadster Balloon Tires \$390
Ford Touring\$50
Ford Sedan\$50
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WANTED

WANTED—Your garments and oriental rugs to clean. Our work is first-class. Bon-Ton Cleaners, 1174 First St. Phone 1015. 22c

WANTED—Chair caning, also old-fashioned splint weaving and rush seating. H. B. Fuller, 512 N. Galena Ave. Phone X948. 29c

WANTED—Roofing work of all kinds; also spouting and furnace work. E. J. Nicklaus, basement 223 First St. Phone K793; Res. K462. 15c

WANTED—Paper hanging, sign and decorative painting. Work guaranteed. James E. Leetch, Phone X1032. 33c

WANTED—Would you care to have your monogram embroidered on your dinner napkins or pillow cases. Work guaranteed and price reasonable. Miss Grace Uhl, Tel. 24220. 1c

WANTED—Our subscribers to know that they can have one of our \$1000 accident insurance policies for \$1.00. This policy is good for 1 year, Dixon Evening Telegraph. 1c

WANTED—Ashes dumped on lots at Lincoln Ave. and W. Second St. Look for sign. P. F. Suter. 47c

WANTED—Our farmer friends to visit our job department when in need of sale bills. B. F. Shaw Printing Co. 61c

WANTED—Rugs of all kinds to clean. Oriental and Indian rugs a specialty. Dixon Rug Cleaning. Phone Y997. 53c

WANTED—By young girl, housework, taking care of children after school and Saturdays and Sundays. Tel. Y609. 61c

WANTED—Any kind of needle work. Tel. 24220. 1c

WANTED—Roofing work, all kinds, flat or steep, built up asphalt roofs and recasting a specialty. Guaranteed. Mule Hide Roofing. Estimates free. Frazier Roofing Co., Phone X811. 51 Apr 1 61c

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WANTED—To buy 35 shoats, to weight 100 lbs. each. Phone 89 or write Dixon State Hospital. 62c

WANTED—3 rooms furnished or unfurnished, close in on South Side. Phone 513. 62c

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Rooms by the week. Steam heat, hot and cold running water. Hotel Dixon. 302c

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FOR RENT—Suite of office rooms in downtown building. Apply at Evening Telegraph office. 1c

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FOR RENT—Modern 6-room house, new, with garden and some fruit. Reasonable rent to right party. Tel. L961. 62c

FOR RENT—5-room house with 10 acres, close to town. Garage and odd buildings. Possession, March 26. Address letter to "S. S." care of Telegraph. 62c

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Bath, hot and cold water, heat, electric lights and gas for cooking, also garage. 741 Brinton Ave., or Phone Y828. 62c

FOR RENT—3 unfurnished rooms, modern. Call at 502 College Ave. or Phone L1208. 61c

FOR RENT—Strictly modern apartment, first floor, 4 rooms and bath. Garage. Heat furnished, newly decorated. Close in. The Miller Agency, Phone 124. 59c

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FOR RENT—House on Lincoln Highway, about 3 1/2 miles from city limits. Phone 5200 evenings. 50c

SALESMEN WANTED

WANTED—An A1 salesman, one who understands minerals and protein feeds for the following townships: Dixon, A. good proposition to the right man. Write Murphy Products Co., Burlington, Wis., or B. A. Hartley, Dist. Sales Manager, Compton, Ill. 62c

MISCELLANEOUS

CASH PAID FOR DEAD ANIMALS. Reverse charges. Tankage for sale. DIXON RENDERING WORKS. 14-Mar 18. 1c

AUTOMOBILE REPAIRING AND machine work. Reasonable prices. Dixon Machine Works, rear of N. chusa Tavern, Phone 362. 14c

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MOTHER VANCE CHICKEN REMEDY for baby chicks as well as older fowls at your local druggist. 52c

MARRY—Sweethearts everywhere. Many wealthy and pretty girls. Ladies and gents write the enclosing addressed envelope. Fern Grey, Station B, Cleveland, Ohio. M-T-W. 1c

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LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

PUBLIC NOTICE

is hereby given that the drainage commissioners of Hamilton Special Drainage District Number One of the Town of Hamilton, County of Lee and State of Illinois, will receive bids under seal, up to two o'clock in the afternoon of the 20th day of March, A. D. 1928, at the office of their clerk, Ira Merchant, at his residence in the town of Hamilton aforesaid, for the excavation of material from the 5600 feet of Green River in their district estimated to consist in the removal of 61,500 cubic yards of material according to plans and specifications on file at the office of their said clerk. A certified check must accompany said bid in the sum of 10% of the estimated amount payable under said contract as a guaranty of good faith on the part of the bidder. The successful bidder will be required to enter into a contract with said district and give a bond on the forms substantially as filed at this time with said clerk. The commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

Marshall A. Watson,
Jay S. Frye,
Edwin Mau,
Commissioners of said District.
Attest: Ira W. Merchant, Clerk. 46c20

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of Madge A. Grimes, deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the last Will and Testament of Madge A. Grimes, late of the County of Lee, and State of Illinois hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court house in Dixon, at the Court of said County, on the first Monday in May next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated this 6th day of March, A. D. 1928. OLIVE L. HEAGY, Executor. Henry C. Warner, Attorney. Mar 7 14 21

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE OF FILING FINAL SETTLEMENT.
State of Illinois, Lee County, ss. Estate of Herman Rettko, deceased. Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned, executor of the estate of Herman Rettko, deceased, will appear before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court house in Dixon, Illinois, on the 26th day of March, A. D. 1928, next, for the purpose of making a final settlement of said estate, at which time and place I will ask for an order of distribution, and will also ask to be discharged. All persons interested are notified to attend.

Dixon, Illinois, March 6, A. D. 1928. Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Herman Rettko, Deceased. Grover W. Gehant, Attorney. Mar 7 14

CHANCERY.
State of Illinois, Lee County, ss. In the Circuit Court, April term, 1928. Harry H. Winters, vs. Hannah M. Burger, Lloyd Burger, Maggie M. Maxwell, Sarah E. Winters, Bessie M. Schultz and Harry Read. IN CHANCERY. Gen. No. 4819. Affidavit of non-residence of Maggie M. Maxwell impleaded with the above defendants having been filed in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, notice is therefore hereby given to the said non-resident defendants that the complainant filed his bill of complaint in said court on the Chancery side thereof, on the 7th day of March, A. D. 1928, and that thereupon a summons issued out of said court returnable on the second Monday of the month of April, A. D. 1928, as is by law required; which cause is now pending and undetermined in said court.

E. S. ROSECRANS, Clerk. By Maude Gitt, Deputy. Dixon, Illinois, March 7, 1928. Henry C. Warner, Complainant's Solicitor. Mar 7 14 21 28

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of Margaret A. Gantz, deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed Administratrix of the estate of Margaret A. Gantz, deceased hereby gives notice that they will appear before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon, at the Court of said County, on the first Monday in May next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated this 8th day of March, A. D. 1928. MRS. FLORENCE G. HICKS, MRS. NELL G. FOWLER, Administratrices. Mar 14, 21, 28

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT
(BY THE A.P.) Indianapolis—Jock Malone, St. Paul, outpointed Bobbie Williams, New York (10). Jack Kane, Chicago, knocked out K. O. Victor, Cincinnati (4). Los Angeles—Baby Joe Gans, Los Angeles, defeated Hilario Martinez, Spain (10).

AN OPEN SECRET
"And they are keeping their engagement a secret, aren't they?" "Well that's what they are telling everybody."—Titt-Bitts.

Engraved Calling Cards. Newest in design. B. F. Shaw Printing Co. 1c

THE ANSWER
Here is one solution to the 101-TER GOLF puzzle on page 5:

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Write to the county treasurer of Sawyer County at Hayward, Wis., and find out what the taxes are on your Dixon Beach lots. Do it now. 1c

If you are a reader of the Telegraph you can have one of our \$1000 insurance policies for \$1.00. 1c

City Bowling League Scores

At the Pastime Bowling Alley last night the Am. Body & Cab Co. team took two out of three games, from Boynton & Richards. G Jones was high for three games with 520. Baumgartner got high single game with 222. Chic Motor Club won three straight games from Dixon K. C. team. Pete Moersbacher got high score for three games with a score of 647. He also got high single game with 265, which is high for the tournament so far.

Boydton & Richards	Am. Body & Cab Co.
Reisinger 187 178 135—500	Arnould 157 196 143—496
Smith 187 135 147—469	Keane 156 144 125—425
Drenner 152 149 144—445	Burke 133 124 169—426
Bauman 171 112 222—505	G. Jones 193 180 147—520
Hartzell 164 162 166—492	E. Root 172 126 144—442
	Hdcp. 69 69 68—206

Dixon K. C.	Chic Motor Club
Weitekamp 193 162 199—554	Worley 182 201 178—561
Fitz 150 147 143—440	Glessner 115 136 141—392
Giannoni 157 120 168—445	Reese 151 150 160—461
Loftus 148 145 110—403	Detweiler 161 219 194—574
Moersbacher 190 192 265—647	Ledine 139 144 129—412
	Hdcp. 992 92 93—277

Games Tonight
Am. Legion vs Franklin Grove.
Chevrolet vs Ashton.

William Edwards, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards of this city, a student at the Northwestern Military Academy of Lake Geneva, Wis., won high individual honors in a skating tournament held at the school last week, in which 150 boys took part. The Dixon young man won the 220-yard race and was second in the 100-yard dash. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards spent Sunday with their son at the Academy.

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SPOR SLANTS

BY ALAN J. GOULD
Associated Press Sports Editor
New York, March 14.—(AP)—America will launch her 1928 Davis Cup campaign next week with Big Bill Tilden in command and harmony in the ranks, at least so far as present prospects go.

The debates of the past may be revived a little later on when it comes to deciding just what is to be done about sending a team to Europe but that, all hands agree, can be put aside while energies are concentrated on the play in the American zone.

For the present the decision is made. There will be only one American team and its full strength, which means the presence of Big Bill Tilden in command and harmony in the ranks, at least so far as present prospects go.

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SPORTS OF ALL SORTS

CUBS' MANAGER EXPECTS TEAM TO BE IN RACE

Looks for Better Aggregation: Everyone is Enthusiastic

BY VICTOR G. SIDLER
(Associated Press Sports Writer)
Avalon, Santa Catalina Island, Cal., March 14—(AP)—Into the National League pennant race the Chicago Cubs expect to thrust a threat even more menacing than their challenge of last year.

All of the attributes of a pennant winning team are centered in the aggregation Manager Joe McCarthy has gathered about him to play in the uniforms of the northsiders of Chicago's baseball. If confidence, youth, speed and dash will carry a baseball team to victory the Cubs, says McCarthy, are "in."

The National League pilot believes the squad has improved both defensively and offensively over last season. He has added the veteran and colorful "Kiki" Cuyler, and a number of minor leaguers who bring much to the various departments.

Pitchers Look Good
Cuyler stepped from the Pittsburgh Pirate bench to a regular berth as right fielder for the Chicago club. It is in the pitching department that McCarthy thinks the greatest improvement will be in evidence. The veteran Guy Bush is back from the hospital, and Harold Carlson has returned from a jaunt into other territory.

Southpaw Percy Lee Jones and Bob Osborne, handicapped last year by sore arms, are showing a world of stuff. McCarthy considers Charley Root as good or better than he was in the 1927 pennant campaign.

The sharpshooting John "Sheriff" Blake again will be a mainstay of the twirling corps, while the former Giant, Art Nehf, who was a free agent in 1927, may contribute to the Cubs' win column.

The infield staff is one McCarthy has not definitely decided upon but the way things look it lines up much in this shape:

Probable Infield
First Base—Charles Grimm, with Joe Kelly, outfielder, as an understudy.

Second Base—Fred Maguire or Norman McMillan.

Shortstop—Woody English, with Clyde Beck to relieve him.

Third Base—Elmer Votter or John Butler.

The 20-year-old English seems to have first call at short, with Beck a player yet to be reckoned with. Maguire, McMillan and Butler are newcomers. Maguire came from Toledo with a batting average of .326. McMillan from St. Paul with .305, and Butler from Brooklyn in the National League where his stick work for the season averaged .238. The outer garden looks strong both defensively and offensively. McCarthy has three right handed hitters and two who

swing from the port side of the plate. Jackson "Riggs" Stephenson, who ranked as the fourth best batsman in the League last season, with a mark of .344, seems secure in left field. The rotund Hack Wilson whose stick work averaged .317, has the call in center, and Cuyler is certain in right. In addition, McCarthy has Earl Webb and Cliff Heathcote for fly chasing work. Miguel Gonzales, Cuban, and Charles "Gabby" Hartnett form a first string catching duo.

Training Camp News Reported by A. P. Writers

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Augusta, Ga. —Although John McGraw was not seen during the recent exhibition games of the Giants in Florida, he has supplied a mystery for the players by rehearsing their shortcomings. His skull practice drill has been chiefly concerned with trapping runners between second and third.

Roush has soft mitts. To ward off the impact when he bangs at the ball, he has a sponge taped to the handle of his bat.

An exhibition game between the University of Georgia and a Giant team is carded for tomorrow at Athens, Ga.

Clearwater—The Brooklyn Robins today were assured of additional hitting punch. They are acquiring Rube Bressler, Cincinnati outfielder. While Bressler batted at only .291 last season, he played in only 120 games and was not at his best due to an operation. During the 1924-25-26 campaigns, he averaged about the .350 mark.

Bressler, who is a right handed batter, secured his release from the Reds yesterday and wired Manager Robinson he would report at camp tomorrow. He is expected to land an outfield post with the flock, possibly alternating with Hendrick. He is 34 years old and has been with Cincinnati for eleven years.

St. Petersburg—Waite Hoyt's tiff with the Yankees over an increase in salary was at a standstill today with Colonel Jacob Ruppert, president and owner of the club, endeavoring to bring about a settlement. Hoyt is said to be asking \$20,000 per annum for two years. Manager Huggins has dropped bickering with the pitching star and the problem now is up to Ruppert.

Orlando—The release of Rube Bressler to Brooklyn probably will mean that Wally Pipp will be retained by the Cincinnati Reds. Two days ago Manager Jack Hendricks announced Pipp would not be held this year, as he had decided on George Kelly as the regular first baseman, with Bressler as relief if needed. Now that Bressler has gone, Pipp will be kept for that duty, it is believed.

Cleveland—Smartering from their first trimming of the exhibition season, the Cleveland Indians intend to present something approaching the



ABE MARTIN

Next t' battleships their hain't nothin' gets out o' date as quick as a bridegroom. Politics makes strange bed fellers, but what politicians I know would walk around all night before they'd double up with prohibition.

regular lineup for the first time in tomorrow's return encounter with the Toledo Mudhens at New Orleans. Joe Shaute, southpaw twirler, furnished the Indians what solace they could find in yesterday's 19 to 8 lacing from Toledo at Biloxi, Miss. He allowed two hits and was never in trouble in the three innings he hurled. Heidelberg, Bolton and Ferrell, recruit pitchers, were pounded for 19 runs.

Avalon, Catalina Island—About \$200,000 worth of pitching talent, as estimated by Manager McCarthy, perched before the Catalina Island baseball experts yesterday when the Chicago Cubs won from the Goofs, or second team, 4 to 3.

Charlie Root and Art Nehf, on the one hand, and Hal Carlson and Sheriff Fred Blake on the other, pitched uniformly well, but some rough spots in fielding were observed on both teams.

Shreveport—Most of Manager Ray Schalk's talent seeking places on the Chicago White Sox lineup are showing promise as the squad continues its training.

In yesterday's victory over Shreveport, 9 to 6, Schalk was pleased with the work of George Redfern at second base. His fielding was perfect and his hitting timely.

Cissell, the \$123,000 prize package drawn by the Comiskey club during the winter rehabilitation period, didn't look like that much money yesterday, fanning twice and doing little in the field.

Winter Haven, Fla.—The Phillies have had three days of leisure because two days of rain after an idle Sabbath, washed away a pair of scheduled practice games with the St. Louis Cardinals. Johnny Schulte, holdout catcher, arrived at the training base and signed a contract, making the Phillies' roster complete.

Paso Robles, Calif.—The rookies of the Pittsburgh Pirates made it four straight yesterday when they won the intra-club game from the regulars, 9

to 4. The regulars have yet to take a practice game.

Fort Myers—Training camp routine was the order at the Athletics' base today, with all hands facing a long workout under the watchful eye of Manager Connie Mack.

San Antonio—Part of Detroit's surplus infield and outfield material may be bartered for pitchers, the management has indicated.

West Palm Beach—It was up to the Browns to win today if they wanted to break even in the four game series with the Cincinnati Reds who took a fast and tight fracas 2 to 0 at Orlando yesterday.

Avon Park—Rained out for their second scheduled game with the Phillies at Winter Haven, the St. Louis Cardinals were disgusted with Jupiter Pluvius and wondered what that god of rain would do with their exhibition game with the Boston Braves at St. Petersburg today. As Rogers Hornsby, former Cardinal manager is with the Braves there, the game was anticipated with unusual interest. Today also marked the season's introductory appearance of Grover Cleveland Alexander, the 41 year old pitching ace of the Cardinals.

Tampa—The Washington Senators were back at their training camp here today to prepare for their tilt tomorrow at Clearwater against the Brooklyn Dodgers.

A SURE CURE
PATIENT: Doctor, I can't tell how I feel, I am anyhow, it took me suddenly. I don't know how—I am not very well, I can't tell you why.

DOCTOR: Take this prescription for I don't know what to the chemist; take it I don't know how many times a day and you will be cured—I don't know when.—Pargies Gaies, Yverdon.

FULL OF EMPTINESS
"Noises in my head keep me awake."
"That's impossible."
"How's that."
"You can't transmit sound through a vacuum."—Tit-Bits.

ASK CARLSTROM FOR RULING ON COMMISH POWERS

State Athletic Board Plans Punishment for Two Men

Chicago, March 14—(AP)—The two major problems of the Illinois State Athletic Commission were laid before the state Attorney General today, with trouble promised for some important figures in the ring world if the Commission's contracts are declared legal and binding.

Ed "Strangler" Lewis faces a suspension or fine for not appearing on the scene of his wrestling match with Alex Garkawienko five days before the contest, and Sammy Mandell may inherit some further penalties if his manager tries to evade the contract with Promoter Jim Mullen.

Lewis' contract included the printed clause calling on him to arrive five days before the match, but he and Garkawienko arrived only two days prior. This clause, however, is not in the current rule book of the commission, presenting a dilemma the Commission expects the Attorney General to solve.

Mandell's contract was brought out and examined again, and in the midst of a large blank space appeared the line "this match to be for the lightweight championship of the world."

If Mandell should sign for a New York contest with McLarin or someone else prior to the June 21 schedule in the Mullen agreement, the Commission asked the Attorney General if it would have the authority to fine him.

The Illinois Commissioners feel their action would be binding in 27 states of the National Boxing Association, a threat that would cause Mandell and his manager, Eddie Kane, to pause. Kane was enroute to New York today, to see Tex Rickard again.

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OREGON LEGION DOWNED BELOIT FAIRIES MONDAY

Rallied in Last of Game to Capture it, 40 to 34

Oregon—Coming from behind in the final periods, Oregon's American Legion basketball team closed a successful season here Monday night by downing the strong Fairbanks-Morse quintet from Beloit, Wis., 40 to 34.

The Fairies led at halftime, 22 to 17, but Pete Stevens and Hendrickson led the Oregon attack in the last two quarters to overcome the margin and take a safe lead. Only a small crowd attended.

The Oregon second team whipped the Beloit Vikings in a preliminary game, 24 to 16. Box score:

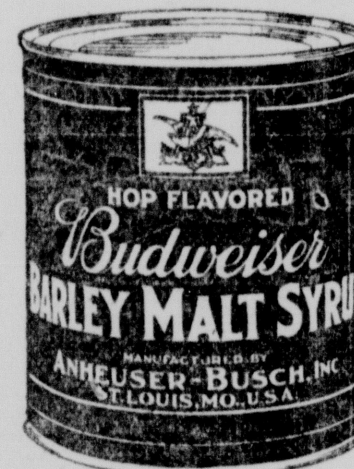
Oregon Indians (40)	R.	F.	P.
Johnson, f.	0	0	0
Hendrickson, f.	5	3	1
Stevens, f.	6	3	1
Pagies, c.	2	2	1
Meierdiercks, g.	0	0	3
Van Antwerp, g.	1	0	0
Murphy, g.	2	0	2
Beloit Fairies (34)	R.	F.	P.
Dowd, f.	5	1	0
Duford, f.	0	0	0
Cremens, c.	2	0	3
Sheppard, g.	4	0	4
Walton, g.	0	0	0
Gharriy, g.	0	0	2
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Schaefer in Fine Form at Billiards

San Francisco, March 14—(AP)—Champion Jacob Schaefer played superb billiards to overcome challenger Edouard Horemans' big lead and win the third block of their championship match here by the score of 900 points to 855.

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Jobs Grow Scarce in Motion Pictures

By WADE WERNER
(Motion Picture Feature Editor)
Hollywood, Cal.—(AP)—This village, to which the world looks for laughter, is in the doldrums again. Most of the studios which specialize in comedy have closed or are preparing to close for a month or two, and the players who depend on laughs for a living are trying to see the funny side of announcements to the effect that the splendid speed with which the season's quota of pictures has been completed enables the studio and its employees to enjoy a little breathing spell before harvesting another crop of celluloid.

In the cases of a few stars and important players contracts already have been renewed and salaries are paid whether they work or not. But players who work from picture to picture, paid only when they work, are finding it difficult to view the situation philosophically.

As this is written 17 of Hollywood's approximately 300 directors are directing an aggregate of about 90 recognized screen players and 800 extras and bit-players on the various studio lots or out of town on location. There are more than 4,000 players and about 15,000 extras who

would be working if they could. All this looks worse than it is, for there usually are as many directors busy in preparations for new pictures as on the actual photographing of pictures and even when production is lively throughout the studio area there are seldom more than 600 part open to the 4,000 qualified players looking for them. The number of extras earning a day's pay depends on the size of the mob scenes rather than on the number of pictures in production.

But the figures indicate that there is more than the usual unemployment among players, directors and other studio employees.

Even among executives opinions differ as to just what is happening. Some call it the "usual seasonal lull in production"; others say there is a temporary "tightness" of money available for production, due to the vast sums invested by producers in the acquisition of theaters and theater chains as outlets for their pictures; still others say it is the old story of 800 pictures being made every year for a market that could get along with 200.

Whatever the real explanation no one seems ready to predict any general quickening of production activities until late in the spring.

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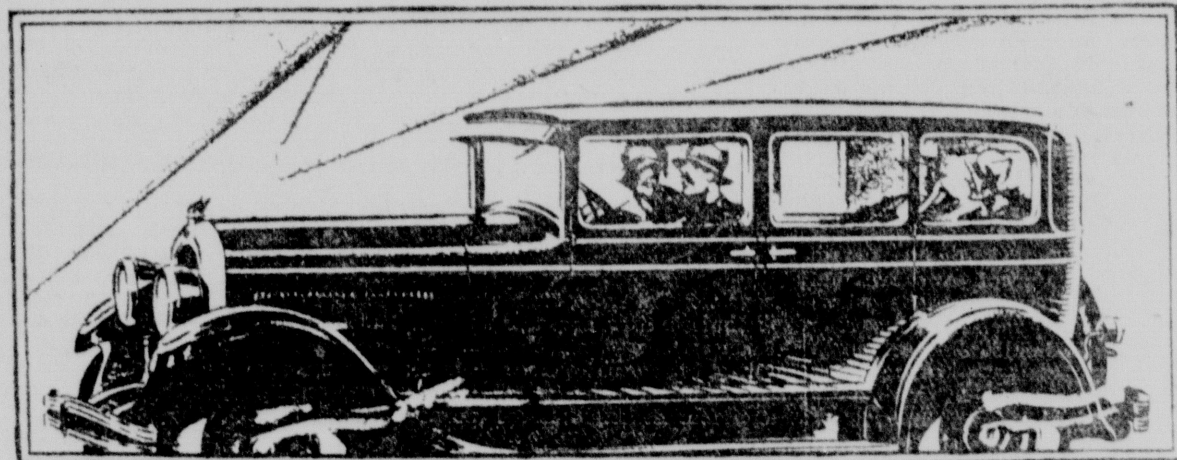
SHE said, "Don't talk facts to women, they want to simply have things suggested to them."

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